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Port Almanac—July 4.

Sun Rises	4.47 A M
Sun Sets	7.20 P M
Day's Length	14 h 33 m
High Water at Southport	2.02 P M
High Water at Wilmington	3.55 P M

The Weather.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., July 4.

Meteorological data for yesterday:

Temperature: 8 a. m., 80°; 8 p. m., 79°; maximum, 85°; minimum, 72°; mean, 78°.

Rainfall for the day, .31; rainfall for the month up to date, .31.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

There was light rainfall in the Wilmington district for the 24 hours ended at 8 a. m. yesterday; at Charlotte, 0.26; Lumberton, 0.12; a trace at Wilmington, Goldsboro and Weldon. The maximum temperature in Wilmington was 83; Charlotte and Greensboro, 88; Weldon, 89; Lumberton, 90; Goldsboro, 92.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

For North Carolina: Showers; southerly winds.

The temperature will fall in the Southwest; will continue high during the middle of the day in the Middle Atlantic States and the Ohio valley, with cooler weather and thunder storms in the afternoon.

Thunder storms are indicated for the lower Missouri valley, in the Mississippi valley and thence eastward to the Atlantic coast.

OUTLINES.

Senator Teller thinks the Democrats will nominate a good silver man at Chicago who should receive the active support of all free coinage men. —— Cotton manufacturers North and South are going to curtail production by a short time movement. —— Bradstreet's reports general trade as duller, but the falling off is attributed to the usual midsummer dullness. —— There were 2 995 failures in the United States for the second quarter of 1896—April 1st to June 30th—against 2,885 for the same quarter of last year. —— The Treasury gold reserve stands at $100 836,756 —— At a meeting of Illinois Democrats, held at Chicago, it was decided that the sound money element should assume the aggressive instead of contenting itself on the defensive side. —— Preparations are being made by the Cleveland strikers for an immense demonstration Sunday at the funeral of the workman killed by a non-union man. —— Jas. B. Gentry, who murdered Madge Yorke at Philadelphia, has been sentenced to be hanged. —— The steamer Three Friends left Jacksonville, Fla., Friday morning at 5.30 o'clock; she had on board the arms which were on board the City of Richmond when that vessel was seized. —— Mr. Wm. P. St. John, President of the Mercantile National Bank of New York, has been forced to resign on account of his free silver views. —— It looks as if the National Democratic Convention is to be a free silver convention; the controlling men of the Western and Southern delegations have declared a preference for Teller.

The Republican party is the "party of the people," a fact which is illustrated by the announcement that the combined wealth of the ten members of Mr. Hanna's committee foots up $30,000,000.

A "hermit" who recently died in Indiana turns out to have been a Kentucky murderer who was sentenced to the penitentiary for life in 1868 and escaped while on the way to the penitentiary.

The aggregate wealth of the New York millionaires who are worth over $10,000,000 each, foots up $1,360,000,000, and there is not one of them who doesn't believe that there is money enough in this country, and that the gold standard isn't a daisy thing.

A Pennsylvania pensioner committed suicide a few days ago because he couldn't get his pension increased. The Republican campaign orator should not fail to catch this and incorporate it in the bill of indictment against Cleveland's administration.

Natalie Mayser, a pretty 14-year old girl employed as a nurse in New York, is now in the lock-up because of a too ardent temperament. She had a weakness for setting fire to the houses of people she lived with because she enjoyed seeing them burn. She confessed to setting fire to three houses and gave this as her only reason.

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IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

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The STAR will be delivered by carrier at any point in the city at 12 cents per week, or 45 cents per month.

In reply to Mr. Harrity's remark that for the Democratic convention to repeal the two-thirds rule would be "revolution," the Petersburg *Index-Appeal* answers that it would be no more revolutionary than the free coinage of silver, for which the party has never declared. Why, we had free coinage up to 1873, and hence up to that time it was never an issue. Since then it has been, more or less so, but with limited coinage under the Bland-Allison act and with the Sherman act, under both of which silver received recognition, the people were less disposed to agitate that question than they have become since the gold men forced the issue by their attempts to permanently retire silver and make gold the only money. The advocates of free coinage propose to go back to where we were up to 1873; that's all. There is nothing revolutionary in that.

If Walter N. Owens, a farmer of Oklahoma, had not been such a close observer and clever imitator he might not now be in the penitentiary. He was a citizen who stood well and was therefore frequently called upon to do jury service. One of the last cases upon which he was called to serve was that of a man indicted for counterfeiting. The tools were brought into the jury room where they were closely studied by Owens, who concluded that counterfeiting was an easier and a quicker way of making money than farming, so he made a "kit" and proceeded to business. But unfortunately for him he hadn't proceeded very far in shoving the stuff before he was overtaken by a minion of the law and is now leading a retired life in the Leavenworth, Kansas, penitentiary.

Die Vossiche Zeitung, a Western German paper, propounds the following conundrum: "McKinley being a poor man, what does millionaire Hanna expect for his services, and the paying for the organization of clubs and bribing of newspapers?" Mr. Hanna can take his time to answer and doubtless will.

This is the glorious Fourth, for the 120th time. Celebrate it with proper spirit, but keep your head level and don't get your legs tangled.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BASE BALL—At Hilton.
J H REHDER & Co—69 cents.
STR. WILMINGTON—Schedule July 4th

NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

S J JONES—Wanted.
NOTICE—To farmers.
WANTED—Energetic salesmen.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Principally to People and Pointedly Printed.

— Mr. J. B. Ives, of Newbern, is in the city on business.

— Miss Ida Fuller, of Laurens, S. C., is visiting Miss Lena Wiggins.

— Mr. Thomas King, formerly of this city but now of Carthage, is home on a visit to his family.

— Mr. Jesse Williams, once a resident here, now of Memphis, is in the city, visiting Mr. Chas. H. Robinson.

— Miss Lucy Taylor, of Catherine Lake, and Miss Jessie Carroll, of Raleigh, are in the city, on a visit to friends.

— Rev. Will B. Oliver and family are spending awhile in Virginia. It is Mr. Oliver's annual vacation, granted by the First Baptist Church.

— Messrs. W. P. Oldham, Jr., and Burgess W. Marshall, of the A. C. L. will spend awhile in Baltimore, taking in the games of ball between Baltimore and Cleveland.

— Messrs. J. E. Kelly, Mount Olive; Herbert Groom, Charleston; S. H. Cotten, Hope Mills; H. W. McLean, Marion, were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

— That charming sextette, E. J. Lilly, John C. Haigh, G. G. Myrover, R. L. Williams, Walter Holt and J. R. Williams, rolled in from Fayetteville last evening and will remain here several days if Lilly's stock of "anecdotes" isn't exhausted. The STAR welcomes them, one and all—"gentlemen, scholars and good judges of whiskey."

— Mr. Wm. H. Johnson, general inspector of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, of New York city, and ex-Chief of the Philadelphia Fire Department, is in the city on business. Yesterday he was taken on a tour through the town by Chief of Fire Department Newman, and visited the engine houses, water works and other places of interest to him.

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LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

— Messrs. Polvogt & Co.'s store will be closed to-day.

— Rev. Jno. E. White will preach to-morrow in the First Baptist church.

— All subscribers to the encampment fund who have not paid are urged to do so at once.

— Mr. H. E. Bonitz invites bids for the erection of a two-story house on Church street for Mr. Allie M. Hall.

— It is now claimed that fourteen to eighteen of the Pennsylvania delegates will support free silver at Chicago. Next?

— A correspondent of the Charlotte *Observer* recommends Hon. A. M. Waddell for the Presidency of the University.

— The Postoffice will be closed for a holiday to-day. There will be an early morning delivery by the carriers; otherwise the hours will be same as on Sunday.

— The STAR hears favorable reports of the political situation in Cumberland and Columbus. Large Democratic gains are confidently predicted in both counties.

— Rev. W. S. Rone, presiding elder, will conduct the services of Grace Methodist E. church to-morrow morning and evening, it being the regular quarterly meeting for that church.

— Fred Pearsall will pitch for Wilmington this morning at Hilton Park, while W. G. Ragsdale, High Point's crack pitcher, will do the honors for the High Pointers. Game will be called this morning at 10 o'clock; this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

— One of the hottest campaigns ever known will be fought in Fayetteville this year. The boys are already putting on their war paint and preparing a sepulchre for Demosthenes Lycurgus Russell. There are no braver Democrats in the country than those of Fayetteville. Watch Cumberland.

THE CITY MARKETS

Well Supplied With Vegetables, Fresh Meats, Poultry and Melons.

The city markets, as usual at this season, are abundantly supplied with vegetables, melons and berries. Prices at Front street market yesterday were: Cabbage, 5 to 10c; tomatoes, 20c per peck; cucumbers, 5c per dozen; squash, 5c per dozen; onions, 5c per bunch; egg-plant, 5c; corn, 5 to 10c per dozen ears; okra, 5c per quart; lima beans, 10c per quart; field peas, 5c per quart; potatoes, 15c per peck.

Melons are coming in more freely, yet prices are high; choice cantaloupes selling at 5 to 10c apiece, and inferior stock, of which there seems to be a great abundance, 2 to 3c; watermelons, 10 to 35c apiece. Peaches are in scant supply at 10c per quart; huckleberries, 15c per quart, and blackberries, 10c.

The supply of poultry is equal to the demand and prices are reasonable, Spring chickens selling at 10 to 20c apiece, and grown fowls 25 to 30c; eggs, 12½ to 15c per dozen.

In the fish market there are shrimp at 10c per quart; clams, 12½c to 15c per quart; soft shell crabs, 40c, and channel crabs 10c per dozen.

The butchers had full supplies of fresh beef, veal and mutton of fine quality.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.—7 casks spirits turpentine, 18 bbls tar, 12 bbls crude turpentine.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.—18 casks spirits turpentine, 16 bbls rosin, 71 bbls tar, 30 bbls crude turpentine.

Carolina Central R. R.—74 casks spirits turpentine, 265 bbls rosin, 16 bbls tar, 17 bbls crude turpentine.

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley R. R.—24 casks spirits turpentine, 26 bbls rosin, 14 bbls tar.

Steamer D Murchison—5 bales cotton, 61 casks spirits turpentine, 249 bbls rosin, 17 bbls tar, 17 bbls crude turpentine.

Steamer Frank Sessoms—113 casks spirits turpentine, 175 bbls rosin, 19 bbls tar, 65 bbls crude turpentine.

Steamer E A Hawes—33 casks spirits turpentine, 216 bbls rosin, 5 bbls tar.

Schooner Ethel—20 bbls crude turpentine.

Schooner Samuel—20 casks spirits turpentine, 100 bbls rosin, 61 bbls tar, 2 bbls crude turpentine.

Total receipts—Cotton, 5 bales; spirits turpentine, 350 casks; rosin, 1047 bbls; tar, 221 bbls; crude turpentine, 163 bbls.

Yacht Race To-Day.

The Carolina Yacht Club will have their annual Fourth of July race this afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock sharp. The races will undoubtedly be extremely entertaining, as the boats are all in first-class trim and the best crews available have been picked for each boat. The following entries were made yesterday to Measurer J. K. Williams: Idler, Captain T. Wright Meares; Pegotty, Captain Fred Kidder; Mist, Captain Dick Bradley; Ripple, Captain Geo. Chadbourn; Sprite, Captain Henry Peschau; Nixie, Captain J. C. Moore; Little Willie, Captain Geo. Elliott; Little Alice, Captain F. A. Lord; Francis Marion, Captain W. N. Harriss; Mable, Captain J. I. Metts.

Mr. Chas. P. Bolles, Jr.

A circular issued by the University of Virginia gives a list of students who graduated during the past year, and Mr. Chas. P. Bolles, Jr., of this city, appeared at the top of the list. He graduated with high honors in chemistry, physiology, biology and anatomy. To graduate in these four of the hardest studies, as highly as he did in one term, shows much study and he should feel proud of the honor.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

Numberless Attractions To-Day at the Various Seaside Resorts—Fishing Excursions on Steamers Marion and Alex. Jones—Grand Ball at Lake Waccamaw—Base Ball This Afternoon at Hilton Park.

The Fourth of July will be celebrated to-day. There will be a general closing of business houses and a large proportion of our population will leave the city for our various Summer resorts. Below, for the benefit of the readers of the STAR, we give the schedules to each place of amusement: At Wrightsville and Ocean View the attractions will be music and dancing, yacht races, rowing races, the Canoe Club's race, bicycle racing and the other amusements and pastimes.

There will be ten trains each way, leaving Wilmington (Princess street station) at 6.30, 9.00, 10.10 a. m. and 12.11, 1.40, 3.10, 5.10, 6.20, 7.35, 9.10 p. m. Leave Ocean View at 7.30 and 10.00 a. m., 12.01, 1.30, 3.00, 5.00, 6.10, 7.25, 9.00, 11.00 p. m.

At Carolina Beach and Southport there have been special efforts made for the amusement of those who wish a trip down the old Cape Fear, such as fishing, music, dancing, surf bathing and a game of ball between Southport and Wilmington teams for a purse at Carolina Beach in the afternoon.

The steamer *Wilmington* will run a special schedule, making four trips each way. The boat will leave the city at 6.00 and 9.30 a. m. and 2.30 and 5.00 p. m. (The 9.30 boat will go to Southport.) Trains will leave Carolina Beach at 7.00 a. m. and 1.15, 6.15 and 9.00 p. m.

At Lake Waccamaw there has been arrangements made for a grand ball in the pavilion by people from the adjoining section and a large number of visitors will be there from along the line of the W. C. & A. R. R., Florence and other stations. There will be free lemonade and dinner for sailing and fishing parties. The Excursion train will leave the A. C. L. depot at 8 o'clock a. m., and will leave the Lake, returning, at 8 8 p. m.

For the Blackfish grounds, two boats will be run, for the benefit of sports and fishermen only. The *Marion* will leave at 3 o'clock a. m, and the *Alex. Jones* at 4 o'clock a. m.

At Hilton Park, a game of base ball will be played between High Point and Wilmington; game to be called at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

OCEAN VIEW.

Concert in the Pavilion by the Second Regiment Band.

The Second Regiment Band gave a concert at Ocean View yesterrday evening. The band consists of J. E. Wilson, E flat cornet and leader; S. A. Schloss, B flat cornet and musical director; W. A. Martin and H. Rehder, B flat clarionet; Albert Dozier, P. V. Alderman and R. H. Tucker, B flat cornet; W. W. Hodges, Julius Taylor, W. Clemmons, Edward Davis and Robt. Wescott, E flat alto; E. H. Munson and Geo. P. Howey, trombones; R. F. Hawes, baritone; M. P. Taylor, Jr., and R. B. Clowe, E flat bass; Henry Newman and W. T. Johnson, snare drum; W. B. Burkheimer, bass drum and cymbals.

The concert was opened on the pavilion with that beautiful piece, "Manhattan Beach March," after which the following pieces were beautifully rendered to an appreciative audience: Coachman polka, Mariana waltz, African march, selection from the comic opera "Wang" and First Regiment march. After this, several members of the band accepted a ride on the drizzle-drazzle. When the whistle blew for the 6 p. m. train the band was soon on board for the city.

Mrs. Mayo, of the Ocean View Hotel, and Mrs. Yopp, of the Atlas House, had prepared a fine supper for the band, free, but as there would be no train to leave the beach until 10 p. m. they declined to wait to enjoy it.

It is hoped that some arrangement will be made to have water in the pavilion, as there is much complaint about it.

North Carolina Press Association.

The North Carolina Press Association will meet in Wilmington July 15th, and it is time our people were making the necessary preparations for receiving the "knights of the quill." It goes without saying that they should meet with a cordial welcome, not only in order to maintain the well-earned reputation of Wilmington for hospitality, but because the editors represent the most powerful and useful organization of the State. They will come from every section of North Carolina. Some of them have been here before, but quite a number of them have never visited our city or its attractive seaside resorts. The wives of some of the editors, too, will come to see that "the boys" do not stay out too late at the meetings of "the Lodge," and the STAR expresses the hope that the ladies of Wilmington will appoint a committee to look after the pleasure and comfort of our fair visitors.

It will be well for the committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to prepare a complete programme of the plans adopted for the entertainment of our editorial friends.

One Cent a Word.

Hereafter advertisements to go in our 'Business Locals" department will be charged one cent per word for each insertion; but no advertisement, however short, will be taken for less than 20 cents

This is a reduction from former rates and it is also a convenience to advertisers, who can calculate the exact cost of their advertisements, which must be paid for always in advance.

CONVENTION DATES.

Democratic National Convention, Chicago, July 7.

Populist National Convention, St. Louis, July 22.

Silver National Convention, St. Louis, July 22.

Democratic Congressional Convention 6th District—Rockingham, August 2th.

BASE BALL.

Wilmington vs. High Point—Score Twelve to Eight in Favor of the Home Team—Two Games to be Played To-day.

There was not a large attendance yesterday afternoon at the second game of the series between Wilmington and High Point at Hilton Park.

Game was called at 4 p. m., with the home team at the bat and Mr. Albert Prempert umpire. Chick twirled the sphere for High Point, while Watson grabbed 'em and did the cannon ball act for Wilmington, and Zellers took them in.

In the first inning Wilmington made one run, Zellers being the lucky man who crossed the "fan," while High Point failed to score. In the second inning Wilmington ran the score up four more. High Point then suddenly "dropped" on to Watson's curves and batted out eight runs. Watson was then relieved by Wilmington's Napoleon—Joe Strayhorn—who soon convinced the High Pointers that eight was all they wanted.

In the third inning Wilmington failed to score, and some stock went down, but High Point also failed to score.

In the fourth inning Zellers and Watson "didn't do a thing" but hit a home run apiece, which made the score seven to eight in High Point's favor. Home stock was at par.

The High Pointers again failed to score. Goose eggs were marked down against both teams in the fifth inning. In the sixth, Oldham, Strayhorn, Furlong, Schutte and Graham scored, making the score 12 to 8 in favor of Wilmington. In this inning, Furlong made a single, Schutte a two-base hit, and Senator Coxey Graham a home run, who trotted around the bases singing, "I'm the man that broke the bank at Monte Carlo." Wilmington scored once more in the ninth, but Strayhorn proved "too much" for the High Pointers, who could only score goose eggs.

The game throughout abounded in hervy hitting, snappy playing and excitement. The features were the double plays by Jones, Ragsdale and Armfield, the heavy hitting of Chick, Jones, Schutte, Watson, Zellers, Graham and Strayhorn, the short-stop playing of Ferdie Johnson, who was always in the right place at the right minute, the catching of Zellers, the first base playing by Armfield, the field playing of Davis and the pitching of Strayhorn.

Chick was relieved during the game by Davis.

Two games will be played to-day; at 10 o'clock this morning and at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The battery for Wilmington this morning will be Zellers catch and Fred Pearsall, pitch; for High Point, Watson catch and W. G. Ragsdale pitch. He pitched last year for Winston and Asheville. Arthur Belden will also play with the home team.

WILMINGTON.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Zellers, c	6	4	4	10	0	0
Watson, p & 1b	6	2	1	10	1	0
Oldham, c f	6	1	0	1	0	0
Strayhorn, 1b & p	6	1	2	1	3	1
Johnson, s s	5	0	0	1	1	2
Schutte, l f & 3b	5	2	3	1	2	0
Monroe, r f	5	1	2	0	0	1
Furlong, 2b	6	1	1	2	2	0
Graham, 3b & l f	5	1	1	1	0	2
Totals	50	13	14	27	9	6

HIGH POINT.

	A B.	R.	B H.	P. O.	A.	E.
Chick, p & 3b	5	1	1	1	6	0
Ragsdale, 2b	5	1	2	4	2	1
Armfield, 1b	5	1	0	13	0	0
Davis, c f & p	5	0	0	2	3	0
Watson, c	5	1	3	3	1	0
Brown, 3b & l f	5	1	0	2	1	3
Jones, s s	5	1	0	0	3	2
Hammond, r f	4	1	1	0	0	0
Hauser, l f & c f	4	1	1	1	0	2
Totals	43	8	8	26	16	8

Summary—Earned runs—Wilmington, 5; High Point, 2. Left on bases—Wilmington, 8; High Point, 7. Two base hits—Strayhorn, Shutte (2). Three base hits, Shutte. Home runs—Wilmington—Zellers, Watson and Graham; High Point—Chick and Jones. Stolen bases, Shutte and Brown. Double play, Jones, Ragsdale and Armfield. Bases on balls off Strayhorn, 3; off Chick, 3. Struck out by Watson 2; by Strayhorn, 8; by Chick, 1; by Davis, 2. Hit by pitcher—Furlong, Davis and Hammond. Wild pitches—Chick, 2; Davis, 1; Strayhorn 2. Time of game, two hours, five minutes. Umpire, Albert Prempert. Scorer, W. F. Robertson.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
Wilmington	1	4	0	2	0	5	0	0	1	13
High Point	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8

A MASSACHUSETTS FLOP.

George Frederick Williams Will Favor Silver at Chicago.

BOSTON, July 2.—An evening paper states that Hon. George Frederick Williams, delegate at large to the National Democratic Convention at Chicago, will favor the free coinage of silver.

Mr. Williams is quoted as making the following statement of his position:

"The time has come for a great popular uprising and I propose to be in it. In taking this step of supporting silver, I realize that I am doomed politically in Massachusetts, and that I shall never be forgiven by men who claim to be Democrats.

"I realize, also, that these men can punish me socially and financially, but I invite the persecution with a conscientious feeling that I am doing right by voicing the sentiments of an outraged public."

THE KINGS DAUGHTERS.

The Ministering Circle of the Kings Daughters desire to acknowledge the following donations: Vegetables, Mrs. M. S. Willard and Mrs. C. P. McNair; barrel lime, Col. Roger Moore; medicines, J. C. Munds; $1.00, a Friend; $1.00, a Friend; $1.00, Julia Parsley; $1.00, Anna Parsley; $1.00, Walter Parsley; $1.00, Donald Parsley; $1.00, Dorothy McRae; 50 cents, Nelson McRae; paint, L. Hansen.

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RALEIGH HAPPENINGS.

POPULIST STATE CONVENTION TO MEET AUGUST 13.

The Anti-Russell Mass Meeting—A Revolt Well Organized—Prof. E. A. Alderman Suggested for President of the State University.

[*Special Star Correspondence*]

RALEIGH, N. C., July 3.

The anti-Russell mass meeting has gone into history. Numerically it was quite a small affair; but aside from this their allegiance to the Republican party cannot be questioned, and the meeting will cut a prominent part in the campaign. Rev. Leak said that he had hundreds of letters from life-long Republicans who avowed that they would never vote for Russell. Leak said that he would print the letters if it became necessary; the negroes who were here were leader, and they have influence at home. A Nash county delegate declared that Russell could not get fifty Republican votes in his county. The revolt against Russell is well organized. Just what the defection will be it is difficult to state, but it will run in the thousands.

When Russell comes to realize this, if he has not already done so, that long promised letter of declination may be pulled from under the duster.

I asked a Populist of note, who is not given to talking and who is well posted, what he thought Russell would do. He asked the question, what does Russell desire most and what does he hate most. The answer was easy. I said that he desires to be Governor of North Carolina above all things and he hates a Democrat like he hates nothing else. "Well," said the Populist, "Russell will realize shortly that his election is an impossibility and you can count on it that he will not be astumbling block for the defeat of any Democrat.

A large part of the Raleigh delegation which went to Richmond returned this evening. The Populist Central Committee met at ten o'clock. Senator Butler, W. A. Guthrie, A. S. Peace, Congressman Skinner and Buck Kitchin are here.

Prof. D. Howell returned from Chapel Hill to-day. He says everybody is talking of Prof. E. A. Alderman as Dr. Winston's successor and that it is pretty well assured that he will be the new President.

There are 139 teachers attending the University Summer School. This is 34 more than last year.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

The Populist Central Committee calls the State Convention to meet here August 13th. Delegates at large to the National Convention at St. Louis were appointed.

[By Southern Associated Press.]

RALEIGH, July 3.—The Populist State Central Committee met here to-day, Senator Marion Butler presiding, and called a State Convention at Raleigh August 13th. It also elected eleven delegates-at-large to the Populist National Convention at St. Louis.

EXCURSIONS TO WILMINGTON.

The Atlantic Coast Makes No Discrimination Against Charleston, and the People Come Here Because They Like Wilmington Best.

[*News and Courier.*]

A short time since, the Florence correspondent of the *News and Courier* commented upon the fact that large excursion parties were frequently taken from all over the Pee-Dee section to Wilmington, and he suggested that the Atlantic Coast Line Road favored that city in the matter of such rates more than it did Charleston and Sullivan's Island. A reporter called upon Mr. W. J. Morris, the district passenger agent of the Atlantic Coast Line, in this city yesterday, and asked him what, if any, preference his system gave Wilmington over Charleston in the matter of excursion rates. Mr. Morris said: "It is true that we are carrying more excursionists down to Wilmington than we are bringing here, but this is merely a result of the preferences of the people and not of any discriminations in rates. As between the two cities it is not of the least consequence to the Atlantic Coast Line which gets the excursionists so long as the people buy the tickets; that is to say, we will do anything in our power for either of them so long as it makes no discrimination against the other. We have in force to Charleston the exact same rates which are carrying these people to Wilmington and we would just as soon bring them here as to carry them there. But they seem to prefer going to Wilmington and the people of Charleston can scarcely expect that we should discriminate against Wilmington by making an effort to prevent them from doing so. The rates are all right, and I am confident that if the proper people in Charleston would try to attract the people here by advertising our advantages as Wilmington advertises hers that we would get some of those excursionists. It is clearly to my personal interest to have them patronize my division of the system and my aid may be counted on at all times."

WHAT TELLER SAYS.

Thinks Bland a Little Ahead of Boies—Would Advise All Silver Men to Support the Democratic Ticket.

"Just now it looks as if Bland or Boies were in the lead, with Bland a little ahead if anything," Senator Teller said to-day, when asked regarding the situation in Chicago. "I believe that the Democratic party will declare for silver at 16 to 1. The silver people are too much in earnest to allow a straddle.

"I do not think the gold Democrats will bolt the convention, but they will knife the ticket at the polls. The gold forces of the country will be a unit in November."

"What would you advise should the Democratic party declare unequivocally for silver?" he was asked.

"I would advise all the silver forces to support it, for that is the only way we can win," he answered. "We must meet the enemy with a solid front. I believe that if the silver forces unite, and there is a genuine silver ticket in the field on a straight silver platform, we will succeed in November. Silver is gaining strength with amazing rapidity in all parts of the country, and I am sure it will continue to grow from now on. It is the only subject discussed, and the adherents of it will gain. The tariff has been relegated and the battle will be on the financial question."

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Senator Daniel.

The Washington *Post* of yesterday says:

Representative Jones, of Virginia, one of the delegates at large to the Chicago Convention, is in the city on his way to Chicago.

"I had hoped to present the name of Senator Daniel to the convention as a candidate for Vice President, but I have just received a letter from him saying that he does not want his name presented, and that he will not be a candidate."

The Churches.

Grace Methodist E. Church, South, northeast corner of Grace and Fourth streets, Rev. R. A. Willis, Pastor. Services to-morrow at 11 a. m and 8.15 p m. Experience meeting at 10 a m in the lecture room. Sunday school at 4.30 p m. Weekly prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday evening at 8.15 o'clock. Strangers and visitors are cordially invited to attend the services.

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St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. Alex D. McClure, pastor. Sabbath services at 11 a. m. and 8 15 p. m. Sabbath School at 4 p m. Prayer meeting and lecture Wednesday at 8.15 p m. The public cordially invited. Seats free.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran Church, Fourth Street above Bladen, Rev. G. D. Bernheim, pastor: Morning service at 11 o'clock. Evening service at 8.15 o'clock. Sunday School at 3.30 p. m. Seats all free, and every person cordially invited.

First Baptist Church. Preaching to-morrow at 11 o'clock a. m and 8.15 p. m, by Rev. Jno. E. White, Corresponding Secretary Baptist State Convention. Sunday School at 4.30 p. m. Public cordially invited.

Chapel of the Good Shepard, Sixth and Queen streets. There will be the usual services on Sunday at 11 a m and 8 p m.

South Side Baptist Church, corner Fifth and Wooster streets; Rev. J. B. Harrell, Pastor. Services Sunday at 11 a. m, 8.00 p. m, Sunday School at 3 30 p m. Church Prayer Meeting Wednesday night at 8.00.

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NORTHROP—McPHERSON.—At St. James' Church, Wednesday, June 24th, 1896, by Rev. Robt. Strange, D. D., Mr. W. H. NORTHROP, JR., and Miss SOPHIA McPHERSON.

DIED.

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☞ "I am for McKinley, Russell and Gold," says Oscar J. Spears, one of the Republican candidates for Elector-at-Large.

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INDEPENDENT COINAGE.

Nearly all the gold standard advocates in this country profess to be bimetallists, friendly to the restoration of silver on condition that those of the leading commercial nations of Europe which have demonetized silver agree with us in restoring it. There are some of the gold standard editors, who are bolder than the politicians and more candid, who scout the idea of bimetallism and laugh at what they call the absurd and impossible double standard, ignoring the fact that the civilized world had the double standard for all the ages since gold and silver have been used as money until England demonetized it in 1816 and established the single gold standard and that all the rest of the civilized world had the double standard until some European nations and this country followed the example of England in 1872 and 1873. As far as the demonetization was concerned there was no concert between the nations, each acting for itself, but now it is contended that there cannot be remonetization without concert of action at least between the leading commercial nations.

If they wait for that they will wait for an indefinite period, for other European powers do not wish to move until England moves, and as England is the creditor nation of the world, which has become enriched by the golden tribute she has drawn from other nations, she will not consent to it until the preservation of a languishing commerce compels her.

If the gold standard advocates in this country who profess to be dimetallists be honest in their professions, it seems to us that it is the sheerest waste of time and talk to be talking about international agreement as a necessary condition, and to be contending that this country could not succeed in establishing bimetallism and maintaining it without the co-operation of other nations. They simply, if they be sincere, frighten themselves and try to frighten others by conjuring up imaginary disasters, which have no more tangible place in the probabilities than last year's breezes.

Independent coinage will be ruinous, they say, because in addition to the coinage of our own silver this would become the dumping ground for the silver of the world and the result would be a flood of cheap silver which would drive gold, the better money, out. It would do neither, for the day our mints were thrown open to the free coinage of silver, the price of silver bullion would go up to the old price of 1873, and not an ounce of it would be sold in Europe or this country for less than the mint value in this country. Then when the Chinese or the Japanese wanted silver to coin, instead of buying it at about 60 cents an ounce, as now, they would have to pay $1.29 an ounce for it. With silver bullion at $1.29 an ounce, where would the 50-cent dollar come in? The mint price in this country would fix the price the world over and there would be no object in sending silver from other countries to this country to be coined, for it would be worth as much in bullion form as it would be in coin, and would be used in traffic in the same way as gold bullion is.

They inconsistently declare that it would cheapen money by causing "inflation" and then tell us that it would contract the volume of the currency by drawing gold out and all the forms of paper money that are directly or indirectly based on gold. It isn't quite apparent how we can have expansion and contraction at the same time, and how our money will become cheap and depreciated when $600,000,000 of gold is driven out. Driving out gold is a bogy of the gold standard men's invention, as is inflation, for neither will happen. Silver will not be coined more rapidly than it can be absorbed, for if we had free coinage the stimulus to enterprise and industry would be such that there would be demand for two dollars to the one there is a demand for now. The fact is that with our present minting capacity we couldn't coin silver as fast as it could and would be put into use, but the uncoined silver, having its price fixed by the mint, could be used as capital, or as a substitute for coin if necessary, in establishing our industries or as a collateral upon which to borrow money.

What difference would it make then if gold were driven out of this country when its place would be taken by silver either in coin or bullion form? Then we could rely upon ourselves instead of depending upon London for money, and then the gold problem would be solved, the gold borrowing cease, and our financial independence achieved. A little, weak nation might not be able to establish its own monetary system independent of other nations, but a great, young, powerful, wealthy and resourceful nation like this can, and it is to her shame that she has not done it before this. She can do it if she has the nerve, and when she does it other nations which are waiting for some one to take the lead will follow, and in due time the nations which have demonetized silver will hasten to remonetize it, with the possible exception of England which will adhere to the gold standard until necessity forces her to abandon it.

MINOR MENTION.

It doesn't require an X-ray to see through Marion Butler. He thinks he is shrewd and that he is playing a smart game, but any one with ordinary powers of vision can see clear through him and the game he is trying to play. He is posing just now as a champion of free silver, but is dreadfully afraid that the Democratic party in convention at Chicago next Tuesday will adopt a free silver platform and nominate free silver candidates and that its action will be endorsed by the free silver men of the country, and this is what Marion is trying to prevent, for in this event he would be temporarily, at least, swallowed and cease to be the conspicuous figure he is now; and he loves to be conspicuous. He is trying to accomplish this by discrediting in advance the action of the Democratic convention, as he tried to discredit the action of our Democratic State convention, by asserting that it was controlled by gold men, when they had only 31 votes to 875 for free silver, and every man on the ticket is a free silver man. This is trifling with truth and with the intelligence of the people he talks to. But Mr. Butler is not a sincere silver man, nor an honest leader. Four years ago when the Democratic party of North Carolina favored free silver as it does now, Mr. Butler tried to side track it as a minor and a very unimportant question from which the people whom he professed to represent would derive very little benefit. He was afraid then that his Populist following might be influenced by the silver issue to support the Democratic party, the very thing that he fears now, and the very thing that he is planning and laboring to prevent. If he be a sincere silver man or an honest leader, why be working to keep the friends of silver apart, to divide the silver vote and thus aid in the election of McKinley and the indefinite fastening of the gold standard upon the people of this country? Is this the part of the true friend of the people and the silver cause, or of the charlatan who is playing both for his own selfish purposes? In what striking contrast to the true and consistent advocate of free silver, Senator Teller, who left the Republican party on that issue, and who now, although warmly advocated for the Presidential nomination by many silver men, hopes that the Chicago convention will nominate a true friend of silver, and expresses the belief that if it does the nomination will be endorsed by silver men regardless of party. What a contrast. But Butler is not Teller, and fortunately Teller is not Butler.

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We have referred to some instances of bulldozing by moneyed institutions to suppress the free silver agitation in the South and West, and a short while ago commented upon the refusal of a New York Trust Company to lend the State of Alabama a small amount of money because the Senators from that State favored the free coinage of silver, and the Democrats of the State endorsed the position taken by their Senators. But the following press dispatch from Louisville, Ky., as an attempt at audacious and wholesale bulldozing caps the climax as far as recorded up to the present time:

LOUISVILLE, June 29.—If the Democratic party declares for free silver at Chicago, Kentucky almost beyond a doubt will go Republican. This is what the Louisville bankers almost to a man declare. The way the banks stand is shown by their bitter opposition to free silver and the decided action they have made to check the spread of the craze. The most striking example of this is the fact that by mutual agreement they have decided to refuse to lend any money to any man who favors free silver. It makes no difference who he is, he cannot get a cent at any Louisville bank on any terms or security.

Several of the banks sent for some of their pronounced silver patrons and requested them to withdraw their accounts. There was no reason for this, except, as they said:

"You are trying to destroy our interests and we must protect ourselves. We desire to have nothing to do with you."

If this appeared in free silver papers only we might doubt its credibility and conclude that it was manufactured for the purpose of making free silver votes, for that is what it will do, but we clip it from the New York *Sun*, one of the strongest and at the same time one of the most sensible of the gold standard defenders. These Louisville bankers may think they are good business men and understand their business, but while the money question is a business question, it is also now a great political question, and they show very little sense in letting it take such an offensively conspicuous position behind their counters. Banks are not, or at least shou'd not be political hives, and our opinion is that these bulldozing gentlemen who are presuming on their dollars to be dictatorial, will find before they get through with it that the silver men of Kentucky can get along better without their dollars than they can get along without the silver men. Boycotts sometimes prove to be two-edged weapons.

Hon. Charles Grosvenor, of Ohio, McKinley's lightning calculator, rises to remark that "the Republican Convention at St. Louis did not abandon any of the tenets of its ancient political faith nor did it announce any new doctrines." True, it was always a manufacturer-run and gold manipulated party, just as it is now, the party of the classes, not of the masses. Mr. Grosvenor is candid.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— Since the production of that New York platform it is not the very best of taste for the New York Democratic editors to sneer at the financial pland of the Ohio Republicans. —*Washington Post, Ind.*

—— The issue between the silver champions and the advocates of the single gold standard is plain and unmistakable. There is no ground of compromise. The Chicago Convention must declare for either one or the other.—*Augusta Chronicle, Dem.*

—— Senator Quay, of Pennsylvania, who was one of the earliest and most faithful nurses of the tariff baby, says that the currency is going to be the only issue in this campaign. Somebody ought to break the news gently at Canton before the newspapers abruptly shock Mr. McKinley with it.—*New York Journal (gold) Dem.*

—— As a prophet Senator Chandler, of New Hampshire, is not h success. Before the St. Louis Convention he wrote a friend in Colorado that the Republican party would go into the next Presidential fight on the side of bimetallism while the Democrats would stand for gold monometallism. He concluded with the significant statement: "We bimetallists outnumber the gold monometallists one hundred to one and need not fear that we shall not eventually succeed."—*Augusta Chronicle, Dem.*

TWINKLINGS.

— The Real Article—"Uncle Simon, what's an orator?'

"He's a man who can get people to stay in a room and hear him talk without having the door locked."—*Chicago Record.*

— "Then you mean to tell me I'm a liar?"

"Well, no, I don't wish to be quite so rude as that, but I will say this—you'd make a dashed good weather prophet." —*Judy.*

— "Papa," said Willie, "is Satan the King of wickedness?

"Yes. my son."

"Well, if wickedness was a republic, would he be a vice president?—*Harper's Bazar.*

— A Retrospect—First Tramp—"Wuz you ever married?"

Second Tramp—"Well, I jist wish I had all the alimony I owe."—*Puck.*

— Making His Mark: She—"Have you heard that our minister is to be tried for heresy?"

He—"Yes. It is quite a distinction for so young a man."—*Brooklyn Life.*

— It seems to me, Billinger," said Mrs. McSwatt, "it would be a waste of money to buy a tandem when we have two bicycles already."

"That's just like a woman," retorted Mr. McSwatt.

"Don't you see, Lobella, that when we go out riding with it at night we only need one lantern!"—*Chicago Tribune.*

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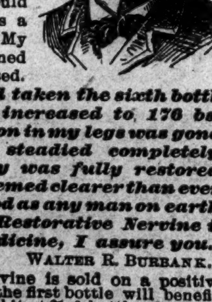

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Clinton *Democrat*: On last Thursday, Mr. Reddin Butler, of Roseboro, died from an attack of fever, from which he had been suffering for some time. His wife, who was suffering from the same disease, survived him but a few hours, dying the next day.

— Chatham *Record:* The many friends of Mr. John H. Lawrence, of Cape Fear township, will regret to hear of his death, after a protracted sickness. —— We much regret to hear of the death of Dr. Edward H. Ward, of Williams township, who was one of Chatham's most respected citizens. He was about 67 years old and had been in feeble health for several years.

— Lexington *Dispatch*: A negro called "Crazy Jake" was drowned at the Yadkin river bridge last week. He formerly lived near Tyro. While crossing the railroad bridge he heard the vestibule coming and swung down under the bridge to keep from being struck, where he was shaken loose, and fell in the river. He has not been seen since falling in the water, and it is supposed he was drowned.

— Tarboro *Southerner:* A white man by the name of Frederick Norris was killed by an engine on the railroad near Conetoe last Saturday night. It was reported he left Conetoe about nine o'clock to go to his dome in Pitt county, across the creek. He was met on the railroad on the Edgecombe side of the creek by some small boys, and they say he was drunk. He had hardly reached the middle of the creek trestle before an engine and tender came thundering along and rolled him into eternity. It is supposed he was too intoxicated to remove himself from the track. The engine did not stop.

— Raleigh *News and Observer*: "The Alliance shoe factory is almost a fact," said Mr. T. Ivey, Alliance State Business Agent, who was here yesterday. "Carloads of machinery are already in the house at Hillsboro and the rest will be there in a few days. Our professional shoe expert, who will have charge of the factory, has already arrived. He is Robert Brockett, of Alexandria, Va., and has many years experience in the business. We are also putting in the tanning machinery, the boilers and engines. When the Alliance meets with us the second week in August, we expect to be turning out shoes by the wholesale."

— Hickory *Carolinian*: About twenty years ago, a man by the name of McGuire suddenly disappeared and a diligent search was made for his body but was never found. It is supposed that he was killed by some one, and his body buried. About eighteen months after the killing another search was made for the body, and it was supposed to have been taken up and buried in another place. Everything quieted down for some eighteen years until last week when Jacob Holler died, revealing the whole affair to the public just before his death. Holler made his statement to an old woman living with him and Mr. Jule Poovy. We have been unable to get the exact statement he gave, but the substance was that a man by the name of Bolch shot him, and he (Holler) and two women buried the body. He told where they first buried him and where he was buried the second time. On last Saturday, deputy sheriff Calvin Hawn and about a dozen men summoned, went to the place, which is about two miles northwest of Hickory on the lands of the late Holler, and commenced digging for the body. Nothing was found that day. On Monday they dug and on that day they found the first grave he was buried in, and also some hair they judged to be his, also the stick that his body was carried on which answered to the one that Holler described in his dying statement. Up to the time of publication no more search has been made, but we have heard that they will look for the remains again. If the remains are found, it is thought a good many will be implicated in it.

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Scotts Hill circuit, Herring's Chapel, July 11, 12.
Wilmington, Market Street, night, July 12.
Southport Station, July 19, 20.
Columbus circuit, Wootens, July 25, 26.
Brunswick circuit, Zion, August 1, 2.
Wilmington, Bladen Street, night, August 2.
Carver's Creek circuit, Hebron, August 8.
Whiteville and Fair Bluff, Whiteville, August 9, 10.
Waccamaw circuit, Lebanon, August 10.
Elizabeth circuit, Purdie's, August 15, 16.
Magnolia circuit, Trinity, August 22, 23.
Bladen circuit, Bethel, August 29, 30.
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SHAKESPEARE IN DENMARK.

Evidences That the Poet Acted In the Palace of Elsinore.

Addressing the Elizabethan society at Toynbee hall, Dr. Ion Stefansson of Copenhagen read a paper on the question, "Did Shakespeare Visit Denmark?" He said there was a strong probability in favor of the view that Shakespeare may have been in Denmark in 1586. This idea was, he thought, proved by references in the play of "Hamlet" and by evidence from the Danish records.

Local knowledge was pointed out in references to rooms in the castle of Elsinore. There was constant intercourse with Denmark in Shakespeare's time, and James VI of Scotland, who succeeded Elizabeth, married Anne, daughter of the Danish king. There could, then, have been little wonder if Shakespeare went there.

In the scene where Hamlet rebukes his mother for her second marriage he describes two portraits, and hitherto in the acted play it was the custom for the queen to be wearing a medallion portrait of her second husband, while Hamlet produced the portrait of his father. In the play, however, Shakespeare makes Hamlet describe a man of full stature, and William Seager, who went to invest the Danish king with the Order of the Garter, told Stow, whose account is preserved, that there were in one large chamber of Elsinore the portraits of a great many of the kings of Denmark woven in tapestry. This was in 1603, and the earliest appearance of "Hamlet" was 1602. All these tapestry portraits existed down to 1859, when a large number of them were destroyed by fire, and what remained—some 18 or 19 portraits—were now in a museum at Copenhagen.

The references to the drinking customs were minutely accurate, and the names used were all strictly correct. So early as 1579-80 English "instrumentalists" and actors were present at the Danish court; this was in the time of Frederick II, who was very fond of seeing plays acted. There was an entry in the accounts of the town of Elsinore for 1585 with regard to the reconstruction of a wall broken down during the representation of a play by English actors in a courtyard. The names of the actors were preserved. Three of them were William Kemp, George Bryant and Thomas Pope.

Thomas Heywood, in 1612, speaks of a company of actors, approved by the Earl of Leicester, going to Denmark, showing that actors were constantly going abroad to represent plays. Of the actors named William Kemp and Thomas Pope were known to have been associated with Shakespeare for many years. Now Shakespeare was thought to have first appeared in London about 1592, and from 1585 to that year nothing was known of him. The lecturer suggested that, through the influence of the Earl of Leicester, Shakespeare was during those seven missing years with a strolling company in Denmark and elsewhere. The usual way of reaching Denmark was to sail from Hull to Elsinore, which would occupy a week, and during that voyage ample opportunity was given Shakespeare to acquire that knowledge of seamanship shown in the "Tempest," which only practical acquaintance with the sea could have supplied him with. All the incidents in "Hamlet" were shown to have their counterpart in actual occurrences in Denmark.—Westminster Gazette.

Helping the Poor.

Christian people, with their associated charities, which, under efficient officers, get to running in grooves, have done much to deprive individuals of the benefits of personal interest in the poor, and too often have educated those same poor into a willingness to be paupers. I do not wish to complain of the charitable institutions. I would only emphasize the fact that we should not let them take away our individual blessing. We should not be satisfied to put our hands into our pockets for money to pass over to them with the self satisfying remark, "You know better how to spend this than I do," and then think no more of the work, even if recalling the fact of the gift.

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Answered.

Mrs. Casey—Do you be knowing, Mrs. Dooley, what became o' moy washin that do be hangin on th' loine before Oi lift the house this mornin?

Mrs. Dooley—Oi do not, Mrs. Casey; but Oi do be seein Murphy's goat passin here a few moments ago wid a piece o' rag stickin out th' corner of his mout'.—San Francisco Wave.

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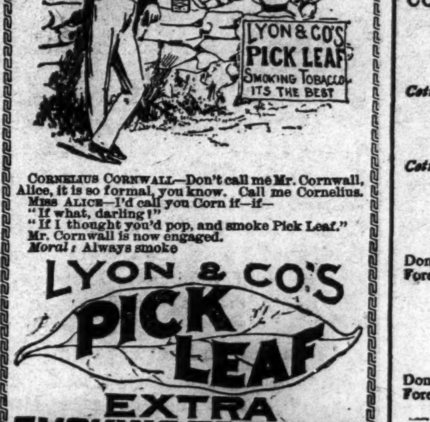

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WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams ℔ ℔	12	@	14
Sides ℔ ℔	6	@	7
Shoulders ℔ ℔	6	@	6¼
DRY SALTED—			
Sides ℔ ℔		@	4⅛
Shoulders ℔ ℔		@	4¾
BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each	1 00	@	1 10
New New York, each	1 35	@	1 40
New City, each		@	1 40
BEESWAX ℔ ℔	23	@	21
BRICKS—			
Wilmington ℔ M	6 50	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	14 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina ℔ ℔	15	@	
Northern	23	@	
CORN MEAL—			
Per Bushel, in sacks	40	@	42½
Virginia Meal	40	@	42½
COTTON TIES—℔ bundle		@	
CANDLES—℔ ℔—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamantine	9	@	10
CHEESE—℔ ℔—			
Northern Factory	10	@	11
Dairy, Cream	11	@	12
State		@	10
COFFEE—℔ ℔—			
Laguyra	20	@	23
Rio	14	@	18½
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard		@	5¾
Yarns. ℔ bunch	18	@	20
EGGS—℔ dozen	10	@	11
FISH—			
Mackerel, No 1, ℔ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No 1, ℔ half-barrel	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No 2, ℔ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No 2, ℔ half-barrel	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No 3, ℔ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	3 00	@	3 25
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel	5 75	@	6 00
N C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 00	@	3 25
Dry Cod, ℔ ℔	5	@	10
" Extra	3 35	@	3 50
FLOUR—℔ barrel—			
Low grade	3 25	@	3 50
Choice	3 25	@	3 50
Straight	4 10	@	4 25
First Patent		@	4 50
GLUE—℔ ℔—	7½	@	10
GRAIN—℔ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bags—White,	42½	@	45
Corn, cargo, in bulk—White		@	42½
Corn, cargo, in bags—White		@	42½
Oats, from store	32½	@	35
Oats, Rust Proof	40	@	40
Cow Peas	40	@	45
HIDES, ℔ ℔—			
Green		@	6
Dry		@	8
HAY, ℔ 100 ℔s—			
Eastern		@	1 05
Western		@	90
North River		@	85
HOOP IRON, ℔ ℔	2	@	2¼
LARD, ℔ ℔—			
Northern	6½	@	9
North Carolina	6	@	10
LIME ℔ barrel		@	1 25
LUMBER (city sawed), ℔ M feet—			
Ship Stuff resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough-edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	22 00
Scantling and Board, common	14 00	@	15 00
MOLASSES, ℔ gallon—			
New Crop Cuba, in hhds		@	22
" " " in bbls		@	23
Porto Rico, in hhds	25	@	29
" " in bbls		@	30
Sugar-House, in hhds	12	@	14
" " in bbls		@	15
Syrup, in bbls	13	@	26
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut 60d basis	2 35	@	2 45
PORK, ℔ barrel—			
City Mess	9 00	@	9 50
Rump	8 50	@	9 00
Prime	8 50	@	9 00
ROPE, ℔ ℔	10	@	22
SALT, ℔ sack Alum		@	75
Liverpool		@	65
Lisbon		@	
American		@	65
On 125 ℔ Sacks	40	@	45
SHINGLES, 7-inch, ℔ M	5 00	@	6 50
Common	1 60	@	2 25
Cypress Saps	2 50	@	3 50
SUGAR, ℔ ℔—Standard Granu'd	5⅛	@	5¾
Standard A		@	5⅛
White Ex. C		@	4⅞
Extra C, Golden	4	@	4⅞
C. Yellow		@	3⅜
SOAP, ℔ ℔—Northern	3¼	@	4
STAVES, ℔ M—W. O. barrel	8 00	@	14 00
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ℔ M feet—Shipping		@	9 00
Mill, Prime		@	7 00
Mill, Fair	6 50	@	4 50
Common Mill	4 00	@	3 50
Inferior to Ordinary		@	3 00
TALLOW, ℔ ℔	5	@	
WHISKEY ℔ gallon—Northern	1 00	@	2 00
North Carolina	1 00	@	2 00
WOOL, ℔ ℔—Washed	12	@	14
Unwashed	9	@	10

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, July 3.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 23¾ cents per gallon for machine-made casks, and 23¼ cents for country casks.

ROSIN—Market firm at $1 32½ per bbl for Strained and $1 37½ for Good Strained.

TAR.—Market firm at $1 20 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Steady. Hard 1.30, Yellow Dip 1.70, Virgin 1.80 per barrel.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine 26½@26c; rosin, strained, $1 15; good strained $1 20; tar $1 20; crude turpentine 1 20, 1 80, 2 25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	350
Rosin	1,047
Tar	221
Crude Turpentine	16

Receipts same day last year—514 casks spirits turpentine, 1,124 bbls rosin, 164 bbls tar, 47 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market dull on a basis of 7⅛c for middling.

Same day last year, middling 6¾c.

Receipts—5 bales; same day last year, 5.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina—Prime, 45@50c per bushel of 28 pounds; Extra Prime, 55c; Fancy, 60@65c. Virginia—Extra Prime, 60@65c; Fancy, 65@70c.

CORN—Firm; 38 to 40 cents per bushel.

N. C. BACON—Steady; Hams, 8 to 9c per pound; Soulders, 6 to 7c; Sides, 7 to 7½c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five inch, hearts and saps, $1.60 to 2.25; six inch, $2.50 to 3.50; seven inch; $5.50 to 6.50.

TIMBER—Market steady at $3.00 to 7.50 per M.

COTTON AND NAVAL STORES.

WEEKLY STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.
For week ended July 3, 1896.

Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
8	517	1,177	295	175

RECEIPTS.
For week ended July 5, 1895.

Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
13	924	2,202	246	192

EXPORTS.
For week ended July 3, 1896.

	Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
Domestic	3	120	4	50	00
Foreign	0	000	5,258	00	00
	3	120	5,262	50	00

EXPORTS.
For week ended July 5, 1895.

	Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
Domestic	00	000	000	00	00
Foreign	00	688	3,500	00	00
	00	688	3,500	00	00

STOCKS.
Ashore and Afloat, July 3, 1896.

	Ashore.	Afloat.	Total.
Cotton	4,654	00	4,654
Spirits	774	462	1,236
Rosin	16,233	331	16,564
Tar	6,926	220	7,146
Crude	616	00	616

STOCKS.
Ashore and Afloat, July 5, 1895.

Cotton.	Spirits.	Rosin.	Tar.	Crude.
3,663	3,911	17,151	2,923	1,346

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, July 3—Evening.—Money on call was easier at 1½@2½ cent; last loan at 2, closing offered at 2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange was steady; actual business in bankers' bills quoted at 487¼ for sixty days and 488 for demand. Commercial bills were 486@486½. Government bonds were firm: United States coupon fours 109; United States twos 95 bid. State bonds dull; North Carolina fours 100 bid; North Carolina sixes 120 bid. Railroad bonds were higher.

Silver at the Stock Exchange to-day was stedier.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, July 3—Evening.—Cotton holiday.

Cotton—net receipts — bales; gross — bales; exports to Great Britain — bales; to France — bales; to the Continent —— bales; forwarded —— bales; sales —— bales; sales to spinners — bales; stock (actual) 109,531 bales;

Weekly—Net receipts 49 bales; gross 4,4717 bales; exports to Great Britain 951 bales; to France 700 bales; to the Continent 3 256 bales; forwarded 1,644 bales; sales 4,910 bales; sales to spinners 294 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 690 bales; exports to Great Britain 896 bales; to France —— bales; to the Continent 3,034 bales; stock 234,370 bales.

Total so far this week—Net receipts 5,104 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,578 bales; to France 1,200 bales; to the Continent 11,106 bales.

Total since September 1—Net receipts 5,140,281 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,184,387 bales; exports to France 462 553 bales; exports to the Continent 1,739,-206 bales.

CHICAGO, July 3.—Cash quotations: Flour quiet, steady, unchanged. Wheat—No. 2 spring 54⅝@54¾c; No. 2 red 55 @57c. Corn—No. 2, 26¾@27c. Oats—No. 2, 15½@15⅝c. Mess pork, per bbl, $6 62½@6 65. Lard, per 100 lbs, $3 75 @3 85. Short rib sides, loose, per 100 lbs, $3 60@3 65. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, per 100 lbs, $3 87@4 12½. Short clear sides, boxed, per 100 lbs $3 87½ @4 00. Whiskey $1 22.

The leading futures ranged as follows —opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—July 55⅜, 55⅜, 54⅞, 54⅞; September 56⅜@57, 57, 56, 56⅛; December 58⅞@59, 59, 58, 58⅛c. Corn—July 26⅞, 26⅞, 26¼, 26¼; September 27⅝, 27⅞, 27½, 27½c; May 29⅞, 29⅞, 29½, 29½c. Oats—July 15½@15¼, 15¼, 15⅛, 15⅛c; September 15⅝, 15⅝, 15¼, 15¼c; May (1897) 18½@18¼, 18¼, 18⅛. Mess pork—July $6 90, 6 90, 6 60, 6 95; September $7 12½, 7 12½, 6 75, 6 82½. Lard—July $3 87½, 3 87½, 3 75, 3 80; September $4 00, 4 00, 3 85, 3 90. Short ribs—July $3 65, 3 65, 3 57½, 3 60; September $3 80, 3 82½, 3 67½, 3 70.

BALTIMORE, July 3.—Flour dull. Wheat easy; No. 2 red spot and July 60@60⅛c; August 60¼@60⅜c; September 60⅝@60⅞c; Southern by sample 56@62c; do on grade 58½@61½c. Corn easy; mixed spot 32¼@32⅜c; July 32@32⅛c; August 32⅛@32⅜c; September 32¼@32⅜c; Steamer mixed 30⅝@31c; Southern white corn 35c bid; do yellow 35½@36c. Oats weak; No. 2 white Western 22½@23c; No. 2 mixed do 20@21c.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

July 3.—Galveston, no market, net receipts 25 bales; Norfolk, no market, net receipts 3 bale; Baltimore, no market at 7⅛, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 7 7-16c, net receipts 56 bales; Wilmington, nominal at 7⅛, net receipts 5 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 7 11-16, net receipts — bales; Savannah, dull at 7, net receipts 55 bales; New Orleans, no market, net receipts — bales; Mobile, nominal at 6¾, net receipts — bales; Memphis, steady at 6 13 16, net receipts 79 bales; Augusta, steady at 7⅛, net receipts 4 bales; Charleston, quiet at 6⅛, net receipts 1 bale.

FOREIGN MARKETS

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, July 3.—12.30 P. M.—Cotton, demand fair and prices firm. American middling 3 15-16d. Sales 12 000 bales, of which 11,400 were American; speculation and exports 500. Receipts 3,000 bales, 700 of which were American. Futures opened quiet and demand moderate. July 3 55-64, 3 56-64@3 58-64d; July and August 3 53 64, 3 54-64@3 55-64d; August and September 3 50-64, 3 51-64@3 52-64d; September and October 3 43 64d; November and December 3 37-64@3 38-64d; December and January 3 38 64@3 39-64d; January and February 3 37-64, 3 38-64@3 39 64d; March and April 3 40-64d. Futures firm at the advance. Tenders none.

4 P. M.—American middling (l m c) July 3 57-64@3 58 64d value; July and August 3 55-64@3 56-64d buyer; August and September 3 51-64@3 52-64d buyer; September and October 3 44 64d buyer; October and November 3 40 64@3 41-64d buyer; November and December 3 39-64@3 40-64d seller; December and January 3 39 64d buyer; January and February 3 39 64@3 40-64d seller February and March 3 40 64@3 41-64d value; March and April 3 41 64@3 42-64d value; April and May 3 42 64@3 43-64d buyer. Futures closed quiet but steady.

LIVERPOOL, July 3.—The following are the weekly cotton statistics: Total sales of the week 56,000 bales, American 52,000; trade takings, including forwarded from ships' side, 60,000; actual exports 9,000; total imports 16,000; American 17,000; total stocks 846 000; American 693,000; total afloat 35,000; American 23,000; speculators took 200; exporters took 1,400.

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EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.

NEW YORK—Schr Bayard Hopkins—265,000 feet lumber.

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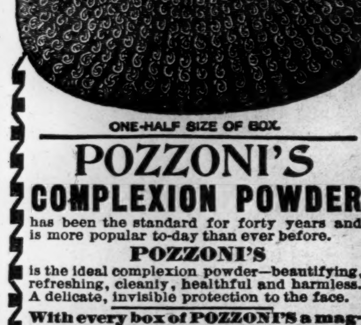

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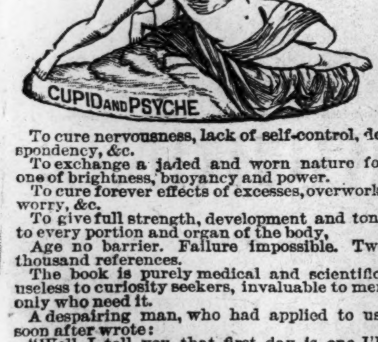

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The bare brown woodlands sigh regretfully
And dream of summer days gone by.

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The fallen leaves, close curled in death,
With ghostly murmurings an answer make
To grim November's chilling breath.

From out the gray, mysterious upper world,
Where dusky clouds obscure the light,
A silent, solitary scout appears
In uniform of spotless white.

With countless legions now the airy roads
Are filled, nor is there roar or din,
But hour by hour the trooping forms of that
White host come softly marching in.

No sound of war, and yet the conquered earth
Forsakes her fallen colors. Lo!
O'er all the plain is stretched a gleaming camp—
The mighty army of the snow.
—Charles N. Meyers in Detroit Free Press.

IN BRITISH GUIANA.

"You fellows can believe it or not, as you like," said Mackay, "but I tell you that for a day and a night I have known what it is to be dead."

"Oh, come, Mac, that's too much. The major has given us some pretty tall ones, but we can't quite swallow that."

"Perhaps," suggested the major, "Mackay refers to a state of alcoholic saturation. I have heard"—

"Shut up, major!" interrupted Highfield. "Don't be feeble."

"Oh, all right," said Mackay. "Only you said it was my turn for a yarn, but of course if"—

"Fire away, Mac. Never mind the major. He's an unbelieving Jew when his own tales are bested. We'll believe you. Observe the childlike innocence of our countenances."

"Very well, then, you shall have the yarn.

"I happened out in British Guiana. Phil Egerton and I had been knocking about that district in a yacht. Phil was a bit of a scientist, had dabbled in the ologies when he was at Oxford, and he found something to interest him in the shallow waters round the coast. The buckets of mud and slimy things he fished up weren't very exciting for me, so I put in a good deal of time hanging round the bars and billiard rooms of Georgetown. Poker is a good game in the other hemisphere. You fellows don't rise to its possibilities here."

"Take you on at half a sov. ante," interrupted the major.

"No, thanks, major. You've been there, I know. I bar you."

"I don't think I could mention the place," continued Mackay, "that I've spent more than a month in without contriving to make a fool of myself over some girl. She was a barmaid this time, and, by Jove! she was pretty. We called her 'The Queen,' and I never knew her by any other name. What nationality she belonged to I can't tell you. I think she had a dash of most of them in her, but English, Spanish and Indian were perhaps the most prominent—English in business, Spanish in love, but pure, undiluted Indian in hate. It was a dangerous mixture, but you've no notion how fascinating. I wasn't by any means the only fellow who succumbed to her charms, but I believe I was the only one she cared a gin cocktail about. You'll admit that the position had its dangers. Of course I knew perfectly well that I was making an ass of myself, but I couldn't help it. The only thing for me to do was to bolt. If I staid another week I should marry her, and then there'd be the deuce to pay.

"'Look here, Egerton,' I said one night. 'You've got to take me away from here. Leave those confounded weeds of yours and let's weigh anchor and be off.'

"'What's the matter, Mac?' said Egerton. 'Got the fidgets? I'm sorry, old man, but I've discovered a new species among these said weeds, and I want to work it up.'

"'Well, Phil, my boy, if you won't leave, you'll have to be my best man, that's all.'

"That frightened him a bit. I told him the whole story, and he saw there was no time to be lost if I was to be saved. Phil Egerton knew me pretty well in those days.

"'I'll tell you what we'll do, Mac,' he said. 'You know Wilson, the sugar planter. He tells me there is some capital shooting to be had in the interior. Any amount of birds and a chance at a stray jaguar or two. He's going to have a month of it, and has asked me to join him. We can take the yacht's boat and go up the Demerara until we strike the woods. What do you say?'

"'Anything you like, so long as you get me out of this mess.'

"We went in the morning and saw Wilson about it. He was delighted, and said he would start as soon as we could get ready.

"Of course any sensible man in my position would have had the common prudence to employ the intervening time in cleaning his guns and looking out various odds and ends for the expedition; but, as I tell you, where women are concerned I'm not to be counted in the class of sensible men. I went to see The Queen, and naturally she wormed the whole thing out of me.

"'Phil,' I said, when I go back, 'if we can't start tomorrow we needn't go at all. It would spoil the party if I took a wife with me.'

"'We'll start tonight if you like, Mac. I'm ready, and if Wilson isn't he can follow us. But what's the hurry? You haven't told her you're going, have you?'

"'Yes, I have, and that's why it won't do for me to stay here longer.'

"'Well, Mac, of all the thundering idiots it has been my privilege to know, I do think you're about the biggest. Why on earth couldn't you vanish quietly and leave her to find out about it afterward?'

"'I meant to, but when I started talking to her, out it all came.'

"'What possessed you to go there at all today?'

"'Oh, come, Phil, be reasonable. You couldn't have kept away yourself if you'd been in my place.'

"'You had a scene, I suppose?'

"'Well, slightly. She accused me of wanting to get rid of her, trying to run away, in fact, and as it was perfectly true, I fancy I didn't show up very well in the argument that followed.'

"'Oh, you great bearded infant. Put your hat on and we'll go and see Wilson at once.'

"We started next morning. I was feeling a bit hipped of course, but the others were jolly enough. As I think I told you, Phil had a weakness for pottering about in scientific messes, and he found a kindred spirit in Wilson, whose hobby was birds. It was really to get some specimens that he had originally proposed this expedition.

"'By the way, Wilson,' said Phil, 'have you ever managed to get hold of any curare?'

"'Curare?' said Wilson. 'I don't know it. What is it?'

"'Probably it has got some other name out here. We called it curare in Oxford—Indian arrow poison, you know.'

"'Oh! You mean "wourali." No, I can't say I have, and I don't think I want to either. It isn't a very safe plaything.'

"'Safe enough,' said Phil, 'so long as you haven't any cuts or scratches on your hands.'

"'For heaven's sake, shut up that scientific shop!' I exclaimed. 'We've come out here to enjoy ourselves, not to talk like a confounded British association meeting.'

"'Poor old Mac!' said Phil. 'What shall we talk about? Will billiards do—or barmaids?'

"'Drop it, Phil,' I said. 'I don't want to be a bear, but your jargon isn't very interesting to a chap who hardly knows an ology from an ism. Let's have something to eat.'

"We found a shady spot under some bushes to have our meal in. We were just lighting up afterward, and I was holding the match to my pipe, when something flashed out of the bushes and knocked the pipe out of my mouth.

"'What's that?' said Phil starting up.

"'It's a dagger,' I said. 'Just see what's behind those bushes, you chaps, while I tie my handkerchief round this hand. I've got a bit of a scratch. If it's The Queen, let her go. Thank goodness, she missed my face.'

It was The Queen. They caught sight of her among the bushes, but she got away all right. They didn't follow her far, but came back to see if I was much hurt.

"'It's nothing serious,' I said. 'Only a scratch, but I think my nerves must be a bit upset. It has made me feel horribly tired. I'll go and lie down in the boat for awhile and let you fellows finish your smoke. I've got a bit of a head.'

"'Mackay, you're crying,' exclaimed Wilson, 'and the sweat is simply pouring down your face. You're pretty badly hurt.'

"'Crying!' shouted Phil. 'Wilson, that dagger is poisoned!'

"'Poisoned? You don't mean'—

"'Yes, I do. It's "wourali." Copious secretion of sweat and tears, headache, feeling of extreme lassitude—those are the exact symptoms. Off with that bandage, Mac.'

"'Good heavens! He's done for,' said Wilson.

"'Done for? Not a bit of it. Off with that bandage. I'm going to suck the wound!'

"I had just got energy enough left to protest against his doing this, but he insisted, and I was too feeble to prevent him.

"'Nonsense, man,' he said. 'I'm safe enough. The stuff isn't a poison taken internally, even if I do manage to swallow some.'

"He put his lips to the wound, and then I closed my eyes and everything became blank.

"It must have been hours afterward that I began slowly to regain, I can't say consciousness, but an indefinite sensation of existence and horrible weariness. It seemed to me that I was swimming on and on somewhere in a vague, purposeless way, and I was very, very tired. I called it swimming, but that isn't an exact description. I could feel my arms moving back and fore with a steady rhythmical motion, but the rest of my body was absolutely still. I was almost suffocating for want of air, but I didn't seem to have strength to gasp. How long that sensation lasted I can't say, but it must have been a very long time. I wouldn't voluntarily go through another hour of such unutterable and helpless misery for anything you could offer me. I tell you it has given me my theory of what future punishment may be like.

"As consciousness gradually returned, the feeling of infinite weariness became more and more unbearable. My arms were still swinging backward and forward like a couple of animated pump handles, and I was quite unable either to stop them or to move any other part of my body. Try and imagine the sensation. It was simply awful.

"When I did finally come to myself so far as to know what was going on, I did it pretty thoroughly. You know the theory that when a man loses the use of his eyes his senses of touch and hearing become unusually acute? From my experience that day I can quite believe it. I had lost all power of motion, and my perceptive faculties became, to compensate, most uncomfortably keen. I felt as if I could almost see through my closed eyelids.

"Phil told me afterward that the peculiarity of 'wourali' poisoning is that if the dose is not very large, only the nerves of motion are paralyzed, while those of sensation become abnormally sensitive. I knew everything that was going on round me, and I could hear every word they said, but I couldn't even wink to let them know I was alive.

"They had stuck a knife handle between my teeth to keep my mouth open, and the weariness in my arms was caused by the fact that for nearly a day and a night Phil and Wilson had been taking it in turn to practice artificial respiration on me.

"'Egerton,' I heard Wilson say, 'do you think it's any good going on longer? He hasn't breathed now for nearly 24 hours. I believe he's dead.'

"'We'll go on as long as we can stand!' said Phil, and I blessed him for it. 'If we can only keep the artificial respiration going till the poison is eliminated, he will recover. For God's sake, keep it up as long as you can, Wilson.'

"'If you think there is the slightest chance of saving him, I'll go on. But I don't think I can last out much longer.'

"'He's still warm, Wilson, and I won't give up hope as long as that is so.'

"That was a nice, cheerful conversation to overhear, wasn't it? Listeners never hear good of themselves, it is said, but I doubt whether the most persistent eavesdropper ever had the pleasure of hearing a man pronounce him dead without being able to contradict the statement. If I hadn't begun to breathe spontaneously pretty soon after that, I should never have had the opportunity of contradicting it. Phil and Wilson couldn't have gone on much longer. How they kept it up for the length of time they did I have never been able to understand. The power of friendship is very much underrated.

"It must have been about two hours after Wilson had declared that I was dead that Phil saw my eyelids begin to twitch.

"'At last, Wilson!' he cried. 'Go and get some water from the river.'

"They dashed the cold water over me, and it caused me to gasp slightly. It was enough. I had begun to breathe again. They carried me to the boat, and as soon as they saw the danger was over they, both of them, sat down on the bottom boards and fell fast asleep. In a very few minutes after them I was asleep too.

"Nearly 15 hours after that I woke, feeling rather weak and faint, but otherwise as right as a trivet. The other two were still asleep, and I didn't wake them.

"That is the story, and I don't think I was guilty of an exaggeration when I told you that for a day and a night I had known what death was. A man who remains for 24 hours without once drawing a breath may fairly claim to be dead, I think."—Chambers' Journal.

The Business Editor.

A very funny episode at Smith college last spring, when the new senior girls took charge of the college monthly magazine, was occasioned by the peculiar idea the business editor had of typesetting. One day this enterprising young woman went into Northampton to instruct the printer as to what she wished him to do. "You can set up your type immediately," she said, "as we are in a great hurry for the magazine." "Yes, miss,' said the printer, "but—but where is the copy?" "Do you mean the articles we're going to publish?" "Yes, miss," rejoined the printer. "Oh," said the business editor, "the articles are not all written yet. I'll let you have them just as soon as they are, of course, but in the meantime you can go on setting up your type, can't you? I thought you could get that much done ahead." It was some time before the printer could persuade the "business editor" that before "setting up the type" the copy must not only be written, but handed over to him.—Washington Pathfinder.

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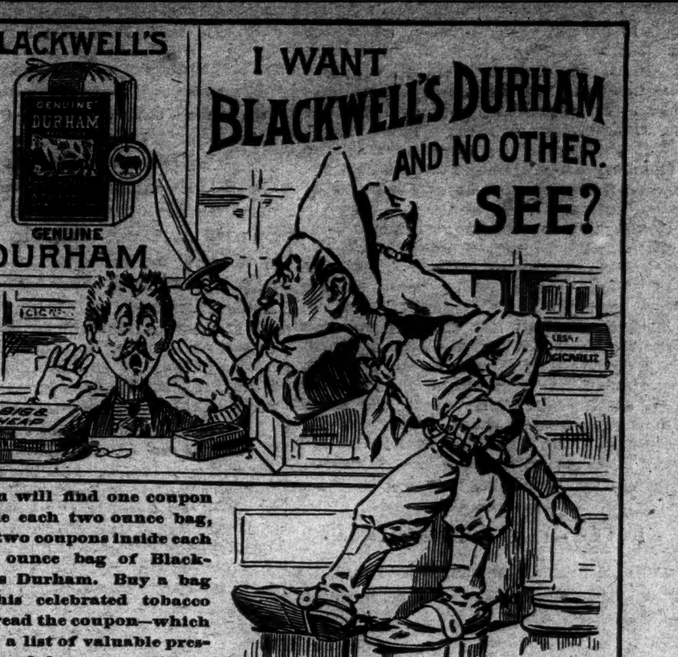

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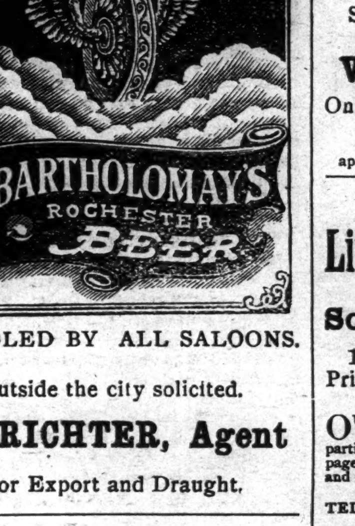

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11 58	4 30	Lv..Maysville..........Lv	10 09	9 18
12 20	4 44	Lv..Pollocksville......Lv	9 55	8 10
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SCHEDULE IN EFFECT June 20, 1896.

DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTHBOUND.

DAILY 9.25 A M. No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 10.52 a m, Warsaw 11.06 a m, Goldsboro 12.01 a m, Wilson 12.52 p m, Rocky Mount 1.35 p m, Tarboro 2.40 p m, Weldon 3.32 p m, Petersburg 5.29 p m, Richmond 6.40 p m, Norfolk 6.05 p m, Washington 11.10 p m, Baltimore 12.53 a m, Philadelphia 3.45 a m, New York 6.53 a m, †Boston 3.30 p m.

DAILY 7.00 P M. No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 8.30 p m, Warsaw 8.43 p m, Goldsboro 9.36 p m, Wilson 10.23 p m, †Tarboro 7.03 a m, Rocky Mount 11.05 p m, Weldon 1.01 a m, †Norfolk 10.40 a m, Petersburg 3.38 a m, Richmond 3.40 a m, Washington 7.00 a m, Baltimore 8.23 a m, Philadelphia 10.46 a m, New York 1.23 p m, Boston 8.30 p m.

SOUTHBOUND:

DAILY 3.30 P M. No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4.45 p m, Chadbourn 5.19 p m, Marion 6.29 p m, Florence 7.10 p m, Sumter 8.53 p m, Columbia 10.15 p m, Denmark 6.20 a m, Augusta 8.00 a m, Macon 11.00 a m, Atlanta 12.15 p m, Charleston 10.53 p m, Savannah 12.50 a m, Jacksonville 7.00 a m, St. Augustine 9.10 a m, Tampa 6.00 p m.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY 5.45 P M. No. 49—Passenger—Leave *Boston 1.00 p m, New York 9.00 p m, Philadelphia 12.05 a m, Baltimore 2.55 a m, Washington 4.30 a m, Richmond 9.05 a m, Petersburg 10.00 a m, Norfolk 8.40 a m, Weldon 11.55 a m, Tarboro 12.12 p m, Rocky Mount 12.45 p m, Wilson 2.10 p m, Goldsboro 3.10 p m, Warsaw 4.02 p m, Magnolia 4.16 p m.

DAILY 9.45 a m. No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 12.03 a m, New York 9.30 a m, Philadelphia 12.09 p m, Baltimore 2.25 p m, Washington 3.46 p m, Richmond 7.30 p m, Petersburg 8.12 p m, †Norfolk 2.20 p m, Weldon 9.44 p m, †Tarboro 5.58 p m, Rocky Mount 5.45 a m, leave Wilson 6.20 a m, Goldsboro 7.05 a m, Warsaw 7.57 a m, Magnolia 8.10 a m.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY 12.15 a m. No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 7.00 a m, Sanford 1.55 p m, Jacksonville 7.00 p m Savannah 12.10 night, Charleston 4.55 a m, Columbia 5.45 a m, Atlanta 7.15 a m, Macon 9.00 a m, Augusta 2.25 p m, Denmark 4.17 p m, Sumter 7.10 a m, Florence 8.50 a m, Marion 9.31 a m, Chadbourn 10.35 a m, Lake Waccamaw 11.06 a m.

†Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.55 p m, Halifax 4.18 p m, arrive Scotland Neck 5.05 p m, Greenville 6.47 p m, Kinston 7 45 p m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7 20 a m, Greenville 8.22 a m, Arriving Halifax at 11 00 a m, Weldon 11.20 a m, daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 a m and 2 00 p m, arrive Parmele 8.50 a m and 3 40 p m; returning leaves Parmele 9 5) a m and 6 20 p m, arrives Washington 11 25 a m and 7.10 p m. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N.C., daily at 5.30 p m, arrives Plymouth 7.35 p m. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily at 7.40 a m., Arrive Tarboro 9.45 a m.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 6 00 a m; arrive Smithfield N. C., 7.20 a m. Returning, leaves Smithfield 7 50 a m, arrive Goldsboro, N. C., 9 15 a m.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 4.30 p m, arrives Nashville 5.05 p m, Spring Hope 5.30 p m. Returning leaves Spring Hope 8 a m, Nashville 8 35 a m; arrive Rocky Mount 9 05 a m, daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton Daily except Sunday at 8 20 a m and 4.10 p m; returning leave Clinton at 7.00 a m. and 11 30 a m.

Florence Railroad leave Pee Dee 9.05 a m, arrive Latta 9.24 a m, Dillon 9 36 a m, Rowland 9 52 a m, returning leaves Rowland 6 06 p m, arrives Dillon 6.25 p m, Latta 6.37 p m, Pee Dee 6.58 p m, daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Hub at 8.30 a m, Chadbourn 10.40 a m, arrive Conway 12.55 p m, leave Conway 2 30 p m, Chadbourn 5.35 p m, arrive Hub 6.20 p m, Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Cheraw and Darlington Railroad leave Florence 8 40 a m and 9 20 a m, arrive Darlington 9 20 and 9 50 a m, leave Darlington 9 40 a m; arrive Cheraw 11 59 a m Wadesboro 1 30 p m. Returning leave Wadesboro 2 p m, Cheraw 3 40 p m, Darlington 7.48 a m and 6 05 p m, arrive Florence 8.15 a m and 6 50 p m. Daily except Sunday. Sunday trains leave Floys 7 30 a m, Darlington 7 45 a m, arrive Florence 8 10 a m. Returning leave Florence 9 a m, Darlington 9 3) a m, arrive Floys 9 50 a m.

Trains leave Gibson 6 15 a m, Bennettsville 6 41 a m, arrive Darlington 7.40 a m, Sumter 9 30 a m. Returning, leave Sumter 6 30 p m Darlington 8.15 p m, arrive Bennettsville 9 09 p m, Gibson 9 35 p m.

Central of South Carolina Railroad leave Sumter 6 06 p m, Manning 6.35 p m, arrive Lane's 7 12 p m, leave Lanes 8.34 a m, Manning 9.10 a m, arrive Sumter 9.39 a m. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lanes 9.30 a m, 7 10 p m, arrive Georgetown 12 m, 8.30 p m, leave Georgetown 7 a m, 3 p m, arrive Lanes 8.25 a m, 5.25 p m. Daily except Sunday.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 2.10 p m, 11.18 p m, arrive Selma 2.53 p m, Smithfield 3.03 p m, Dunn 3.50 p m, Fayetteville 4.36 p m, 1.07 a m, Rowland 6.06 p m, returning leave Rowland 9.52 a m, Fayetteville 11.10 a m, 9.40 p m, Dunn 11.49 a m, Smithfield 12.37 p m, Selma 12.34 p m, arrive Wilson 1.20 p m, 11 35 p m.

Manchester & Augusta Railroad train leaves Sumter 4 23 a m, Creston 5 2) a m, arrive Denmark 6 20 a m. Returning leave Denmark 4 17 p m, Creston 5 16 p m, Sumter 6 05 p m Daily.

Pregnalls Branch train leaves Creston 5 45 a m, arrive Pregnalls 9 15 p m. Returning leaves Pregnalls 10 p m, arrives Creston 3 50 p m. Daily except Sunday.

Bishopville Branch trains leave Elliott 11.10 a m and 7.15 p m, arrive Lucknow 1 p m and 8.15 p m, Returning leave Lucknow 6.05 a m and 2 00 p m, arrive Elliott 8.25 a m and 3.30 p m.

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SOUTH BOUND DAILY No. 1.	MAIN LINE.	NORTH BOUND DAILY No. 2.
7 55 p. m.	Ar...Wilmington ...Lve	7 25 a.
4 45 "	Lv... Fayetteville ...Ar	10 35 a m
4 33 "	Ar .. Fayetteville ... Lv	10 55 "
4 30 "	Ar Fayetteville Junc Lv	11 06 "
3 19 "	Lv .... Sanford Lv	12 23 p. m
1 33 a m	Lv......Climax......Lv	2 25 "
1 03 "	Lv....Greensboro... Ar	2 56 "
12 58 "	Ar....Greensboro.... Lv	3 05 "
12 12 a m	Lv....Stokesdale.... Lv	3 59 "
11 45 "	Lv...Walnut Cove... Ar	4 31 "
11 35 "	Ar..Walnut Cove... Lv	4 38 "
11 05 "	Lv....Rural Hall... Lv	5 71 "
9 35 "	Lv.....Mt Airy..... Ar	6 45 "

SOUTH BOUND DAILY No. 3.	Bennettsville Division.	NORTH BOUND DAILY No. 4.
7 20 p m	Ar...Bennettsville...Lv	8 45 a. m.
6 13 "	Lv......Maxton.... Ar	9 45 "
5 42 "	Lv...Red Springs....Lv	10 12 "
4 53 "	Lv....Hope Mills....Lv	10 43 "
4 43 "	Lv....Fayetteville... Ar	10 59

SOUTH BOUND Daily except Sunday. No. 15. MIXED.	Factory and Madison Branches.	NORTH BOUND Daily except Sunday. No. 16. MIXED.
5 50 p m	Ar..... Ramseur.....Lv	6 45 a.
3 55 "	Lv ..... Climax..... Lv	8 35 "
3 10 "	Lv ... Greensboro... Ar	9 20 "

NORTH BOUND.	No. 16 MIXED, daily ex su
Leave Greensboro..................	9 35 a. m
Leave Stokesdale..................	10 50 "
Arrive Madison....................	11 50 "

SOUTH BOUND.	No. 15. MIXED. daily ex su
Leave Madison.....................	12 25 p m
Leave Stokesdale..................	1 28 "
Arrive Greensboro.................	2 35 "

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APRIL 5th, 1896.		No 41	No 403
Leave Wilmington,	S. A. L.	P. M. * 3 20	A. M.
Arrive Maxton	"	6 1[illegible]	
Arrive Hamlet	"	6 5[illegible]	
Leave Hamlet	"	7 15	* 9 10
Arrive Wadesboro	"	8 01	9 52
Arrive Monroe	"	8 55	10 40
Leave Monroe	"	9 10	10 45
Arrive Charlotte	"	10 20	11 35
Arrive Lincolnton	"		P. M. 12 55
Arrive Shelby	"		1 50
Arrive Rutherfordton	"		3 00
Leave Hamlet	S. A. L	A. M † 9 25	
Arrive Osborne	"	9 50	
" Kollock	"	10 25	
" Cheraw	"	10 4	
Leave Cheraw	S. A. L		P. M. † 5 20
" Kollock	"		5 50
" Osborne	"		6 25
Arrive Hamlet	"		6 50
Leave Wilmington	S. A. L.	P. M. * 3 20	
" Monroe	"	9 (5	A. M. *10 45
Arrive Chester	"	10 32	12 03
" Clinton	"	11 58	P. M. 1 20
" Greenwood	"	A. M. 1 00	2 33
" Abbeville	"	1 32	2 58
" Elberton	"	2 36	4 00
" Athens	"	3 38	5 1[illegible]
" Atlanta	"	5 2	6 45
Leave Atlanta	A. & W. P.	5 35	
Ar Montgomery	West of Ala.	10 45	
Arrive Mobile	L. & N.	P. M. 4 10	
" New Orleans	"	* 8 30	
Arrive Columbia	C. N. & L.	A. M. *10 00	P. M. * 4 30
Arrive Augusta	P. R. & W. C.	† 9 35	P. M. * 5 05
Arrive Macon	M & N.		P. M. * 6 40

EAST AND NORTH.

APRIL 5th, 1896.		No 38	No 402
Leave Wilmington	S. A. L		P. M. * 3 20
Arrive Hamlet	"	A. M.	6 [illegible]
Leave Hamlet	"	* 8 15	10 35
Arrive Southern Pines	"	9 15	11 21
" Raleigh	"	11 26	A. M. 1 21
" Henderson	"	P. M. 1 0	2 33
" Weldon	"	* 3 00	* 4 05
Arrive Portsmouth	S. A. L	P. M. * 5 50	A. M. * 7 30
" Norfolk	"	6 00	7 50
Arrive Richmond	A. C. L	P. M. * 6 40	A. M. * 6 40
" Washington	P. R. R.	11 10	10 45
" Baltimore	"	A. M 12 48	P. M. 12 05
" Philadelphia	"	3 45	2 20
" New York	"	* 6 53	* 4 53

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SATURDAY MORNING, JULY 4, 1896

THE STATE OF TRADE.

Bradstreet's and Dun's Reports of the Business Situation and Outlook.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 3.—R. G. Dun & Co. will say to-morrow, in their *Weekly Review of Trade*: Complete reports for the second quarter of 1896—April 1st to June 30th, inclusive—cover 2,995 failures in the United States against 2,855 in the same quarter of last year. Failures for the week have been 257 in the United States against 195 last year and 23 in Canada against 24 last year. Movements have been largely of a temporary character, or else purely speculative, on the day-by-day plan, and they are not highly instructive. Thus an extensive shut-down of cotton mills is solely in the hope that half production in July and August may clear a largely overstocked market.

Bradstreet's to-morrow will say: General trade in most commercial and industrial branches is duller, but the falling off is, in part, the usual midsummer dullness. Comparatively few changes are noted, but most of them are decreases in either price or demand. Quotations for wheat, Indian corn, cotton, oats and steel are lower. Sugar has reacted after the decline last week; leather remains conspicuously firm, with shoe factories busily employed, and petroleum and anthracite coal are higher. The statement of the trade at many points is that the immediate outlook for business is not favorable. St. Louis jobbers report some Texas merchants countermanding orders, owing to the effects of the drought.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Wheat, Corn and Oats Weak and Lower—Pork Products Decline on Selling Pressure.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, July 3.—Wheat—The morning began with a firmer tone on higher Liverpool cables and some Northwestern crop damage reports, but the effects of these influences soon passed away and a sagging movement succeeded. September wheat opened from 57c to 56⅜c, declined to 56c, closing at 56⅛—⅛@⅝c under yesterday. Cash wheat was easy and ⅛c per bushel lower.

Corn—September corn opened at 27⅝c, sold at 27⅜c, declined to and closed at 27⅛—⅛c under yesterday. Cash corn was weak and ⅛c per bushel lower.

Oats—The sentiment was in sympathy with that of wheat and corn. September oats closed ⅛@⅜c under yesterday. Cash oats were weak and ⅛@⅛c lower.

Provisions—In the last hour of business offerings became heavy, local professionals doing some raiding, whilst the demand was contracted. Everything declined on the selling pressure. September pork closed 27½c lower, September lard and ribs each 10c lower.

SPOTS AND FUTURES.

Total Visible Supply of Cotton—Crop in Sight—Net Receipts at the Ports.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 3.—The total visible supply of cotton for the world is 2,002,426 bales, of which 1,603,226 bales are American, against 3,427,240 bales and 2,834,040 bales respectively last year. Receipts of cotton this week at all interior towns, 7,147 bales; receipts from the plantations, 565 bales; crop in sight, 6,900,606 bales.

The following are the total net receipts at all ports since September 1st: Galveston, 926 358; New Orleans, 1,747,101; Mobile, 205,840; Savannah, 752,381; Charleston, 280,020; Wilmington, 171,054; Norfolk, 338,107; Baltimore, 43,983; New York, 98,420; Boston, 152,625; Newport News, 15,472; Philadelphia, 43,616; West Point, 143,639; Brunswick, 74,340; Port Royal, 75,754; Pensacola, 17,603; Texas City, 54 019. Total, 1540,281.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

Of Stocks, Receipts and Exports of Cotton.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 3.—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending this date:

	1896	1895
Net receipts at all United States ports during the week...	5,104	3 503
Total receipts to this date..............	5,140,281	7,891,555
Exports for the week	16,060	17,626
Total exports to this date..............	4,386,146	6,559,145
Stock in all United States ports......	234,370	403,815
Stock at all interior towns............	32,313	14 840
American afloat for Stock in Liverpool,..	846,000	1,561,000
Great Britain.....	23,000	40,000

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NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 2.—Spirits turpentine dull but steady at 25¾@26c. Rosin quiet and steady; strained common to good $1 67½@1 70.

CHARLESTON, July 2.—Spirits turpentine firm at 23c; sales — barrels. Rosin firm; sales — barrels; A, B, C, D, E $1 35, F $1 40, G $1 45, H $1 50, I $1 55, K $1 60, M $1 70, N $1 80, W G $1 90, W W $2 00.

SAVANNAH, July 2.—Spirits turpentine firm at 25¼c bid; sales 600 casks; receipts 2,106 barrels. Rosin firm and unchanged; sales 20,000 barrels; receipts 5,401 barrels.

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CHICAGO CONVENTION.

THE PRESIDENTIAL SITUATION NOT WELL DEFINED.

Bland Seems to be in the Lead—A Strong Under-Current for Teller—Boies Still in the Foreground—Ex-Senator Walsh of Georgia Gives His Views—No Question About the Silver Men Controlling the Convention.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, July 3.—It looks as if the Chicago Democratic Convention would be quite as lop-sided as the recent Republican gathering at St. Louis. There has been no break to-day in the monotony of the signs and tokens of what is to happen. It is to be a free silver convention. Moreover, with surprising unanimity, the controlling men of the Western and Southern delegations have declared a preference for Teller. Nearly all his associates or former associates in the Senate who believe in free coinage are giving their support. The list includes Messrs. Turpie of Indiana, Jones of Arkansas, Harris of Tennessee, Walsh of Georgia, Chilton of Texas, and Cockrell of Missouri. When the Eastern delegates and friends of the gold standard reach Chicago to-morrow they will find that the silver men have absolute control of the situation. Conferences have been frequent during the day. Out of all of these consultations, but one certain fact seems to have been developed. The platform will be concise, short and clear-cut, without so much as an ambiguous word that can be misconstrued into meaning anything than an out and out declaration for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1.

Senators Joyce of Arkansas, Bate and Harris of Tennessee, Blackburn of Kentucky, Tillman of South Carolina, Cockrell of Missouri, Senator-elect Money of Mississippi, Representative Richardson of Tennessee, and Hon. John R. McLean have been in conference during the day, and all are agreed that the financial plank shall be given that prominence which its importance merits.

Gov. Altgeld's idea that the convention can complete its work in one day is scouted by experienced politicians. One of them said this afternoon that while he was in favor of reasonable haste, he recognized the fact that it required time to carefully transact the business of a National Convention. The platform would cause some debate, depending entirely upon the pleasure of the convention exercised through the gavel of the chairman.

It is not improbable that some prominent person representing the gold side of the question will be selected to antagonize the report of the Committee on Resolutions, and with that single speech discussion will end. This will be accomplished by a motion from the floor, demanding the previous question which will be promptly put and carried. While all reasonable expedition is desired by those having control, no one of good judgment predicts less than a three days' session.

The New York delegation and other advocates of the gold standard entered upon a secret caucus at the Auditorium Hotel this evening and when midnight (Eastern time) had long elapsed, were still in session without having reached a satisfactory conclusion as to their course of action.

Ex-Senator Walsh, of Georgia, has been in the city for some days, he being one of the delegates at large from his State to the Democratic Convention. A reporter of the Southern Associated Press called upon him to-day at his hotel in order to obtain, if possible, his views upon the political situation. At first he was disinclined to say anything for publication, but he finally consented to give his views and dictated the following statement:

"It is pretty well understood," he said, "that the silver forces are determined to organize the convention. This means that the temporary and permanent organization of the convention will be in the hands of the silver men. As to the Presidential nomination the situation is not well defined. Mr. Bland seems to be well in the lead; starting off with the States of Missouri, Arkansas and Texas committed to him. The men who are in charge of his candidacy are untiring in their efforts in his behalf. His pictures and his advocates can be seen and heard in the leading hotels. The boom for Gov. Boies does not, so far, seem to be effective in securing any decided accessions for his candidacy.

"There is a strong under current for Senator Teller as the logical candidate of the situation. His name is being favorably considered by prominent Southern Democrats. It is urged against him that he is not a Democrat, and this fact militates against his availability. On the other hand, it is claimed that he is the embodiment of the free silver cause, and that he represents in the most forceful degree the vital principle of home rule or local self government. In retiring from the Republican Convention he exhibited the courage of his convictions and gave the highest evidence of devotion to a cause, the triumph of which he believes to be of paramount interest to the welfare of the people. His advocates assert that the present is an abnormal period in the history of American politics and that it is an opportunity for the Democratic party to gather within its folds the Populists and the free silver Republicans. They claim that his nomination will bridge the way into the Democratic fold, and that if he is made the nominee of the party his election will be a certainty. The South can furnish 142 electoral votes. Eighty votes more are necessary to secure the Presidential election for the candidate of this convention. Teller's friends affirm in the most positive manner that if nominated he will carry every State west of the Missouri river, and, in addition, the States of Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and Michigan, but they are not confident that these four States can be carried for a Democrat. While the leaders in the Northwest will advocate the nomination and election of a free silver Democrat for President, they doubt their ability to carry with them the rank and file of the free silver Republicans and of the Populists. They assert, however, that with Teller as the nominee all obstacles would be removed and all Populists and free silver Republicans would unite most cordially with the Democrats in securing his election. With Teller as a leader and a standard bearer, these men would find no difficulty in passing over to the Democratic camp.

"Prominent Southern Democrats who have been on the ground for weeks are carefully considering the situation. The arguments in favor of Senator Teller's nomination are listened to with respectful attention, and are given earnest consideration. If there were any certainty that a Democrat could be elected President, Senator Teller's name would not be seriously considered. The convention could not afford to nominate a man who will be defeated.

"The impression is gaining ground that with Senator Teller the nominee, success is assured. His character and his public services are highly appreciated by the people at large. A great opportunity is presented to the Democratic party to make itself invincible, and to secure a long lease of power. There are millions of men in the West and Northwest outside the Democratic party, who are disaffected if not hostile to the Republican party. These people are anxious to aid in the accomplishment of a common purpose, and they seem to be ready to unite with the Democrats if Senator Teller be named by the convention.

Democratic leaders are deeply impressed by the presentation made in behalf of Teller and they are giving the most serious consideration to the availability of his candidacy, in the event of their becoming satisfied that a Democrat cannot be elected. His nomination will mean that he and his free silver supporters have quit the Republican party forever. It is confidently asserted that the amalgamation of the free silver Republicans and the Populists with the Democrats would cement the union between the great producing sections of the South and West, and would result in Democratic control of the Federal Government for a long period of time."

It is positively stated that the anti-silver men will not imitate the example of the silver men in St. Louis or bolt the convention when their wishes with regard to the platform are disregarded, as they are sure to be.

The so-called sound money men, the "Wise Men of the East," as the silver men have named them, believe in the efficacy of the machine in politics and the necessity of keeping the organization intact for coming campaigns.

INTER-STATE COMMERCE.

Decision by the Commission in Two Cases Brought by the Lynchburg Board of Trade.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—The Inter-State Commerce Commission to-day, in an opinion by Commissioner Knapp, announced its decision of two cases brought by the Lynchburg Board of Trade against the Old Dominion Steamship Company, the Merchants and Miners Steamship Company, the Norfolk and Western Railroad Company and the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia, now Southern Railway Company.

The Commission rules as follows:

"Under the fourth section of the act to regulate commerce, a carrier is not justified in charging more for the shorter than for the longer distance by competition at the longer distance point of other carriers which are themselves subject to that act, in the absence of authority from the Commission under the proviso clause of said section.

"When rates are relatively unjust, so that undue preference is afforded to one locality or undue prejudice results to another, the law is violated and its penalties incurred, although the higher rate is not in itself excessive, and such rule is especially applicable where a given relation in rates, long continued and concededly equitable, is suddenly and almost completely reversed, merely because other carriers to the longer distance point have disregarded their legal duties.

"During the period between May 29th and August 1st, 1894, when greatly reduced rates were charged by defendants to Knoxville, Tenn., dealers at Lynchburg, Va., an intermediate locality, were entitled to rates over the defendant's lines from New York, Providence and Boston not greater than those accepted at the same time and like traffic over said lines to Knoxville, and the excess paid for transportation by the intervening Lynchburg dealers over contemporaneous rates to Knoxville was unlawfully collected. Reparation is ordered accordingly."

GOLD DEMOCRATS

Hold a Council of War at Their Headquarters in Chicago and Resolve to Make an Aggressive Fight Against the Silver Men.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, July 3.—Under the auspices of the Illinois "Honest Money Democrats," national headquarters of that element were opened in Parlor A, of the Wellington Hotel this morning, with a meeting in which Comptroller Eckles, ex-Congressmen Cable and Forman, ex-Mayor John P. Hopkins, Franklin McVeigh and representative Democrats from about twenty towns in the State, took part. One of the participants referred to the gathering as a council of war, Governor Altgeld and the Illinois delegation in particular and the silver people in general being the subject of attack. All of those named and several others made speeches in which they insisted that the honest money element should assume the aggressive instead of contenting itself with the defensive side. A mistake had been made, it was argued, in permitting the silver forces to go so far, and every gold standard Democrat was urged to get out into the open and do what he could toward stemming the tide of the silver metal. The claim of Gov. Altgeld and his delegation that they represent the solid Democracy of Illinois should be antagonized on the floor of the convention, and it was decided to refer to a subcommittee the question as how this could best be accomplished. Other subcommittees were appointed to meet the Eastern money people scheduled to arrive from the East this afternoon and evening and round them up for the conference called for to-night.

CLEVELAND STRIKERS.

A Monster Demonstration to be Made Sunday at the Funeral of the Workman Killed by a Non-Union Man.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CLEVELAND, July 3.—The locked-out employes of the Brown Hoisting and Conveying Machine Company held a meeting in Superior Hall this morning. The situation was thoroughly canvassed and it was ordered that these telegrams be sent:

"Eugene V. Debs, New York City Workmen here in awful ferment. Union man deliberately murdered by scabs. Burial Sunday afternoon. Can you come and deliver funeral oration?"

"James O'Connell, Grand Master Machinist, Oil City, Pa.: Great ferment. Union man murdered by scabs. Can you come?"

A burning proclamation to all laboring men in the city was issued. The Brown Hoisting Company and the municipal government, which furnishes police to protect the non-union men, were bitterly denounced. A strong appeal was sent to all union men in Northern Ohio to make a special effort and attend the dead striker's funeral at Immaculate Conception Church Sunday. Those attending the funeral are requested to wear a white ribbon. The parade will be formed at Superior Hall, in the neighborhood of the works, at 12.30 p. m. Sunday. The majority of the labor organizations in the city have already signified their intention to participate. A monster demonstration is anticipated.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The Treasury Gold Reserve—Withdrawals—A Scheme of Certain Railroads to Avoid Postage of Mail Matter.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—The gold withdrawals to-day amounted to $466,600, leaving the gold reserve at the close of business $100,836,756. Of the gold withdrawn to-day $400,000 went to Canada.

The Postmaster General recently discovered a clever scheme on the part of certain railroads to avoid postage of mail matter intended for officials of railroads and their employes by an interchange of mail between roads carried by the baggage masters in large envelopes. The scheme was worked principally in New York. New York city, Buffalo and other terminal points exchanged mail matter, thus avoiding postage. The outcome of the discovery was a communication sent by the Department to railroad officials stating that the Revised Statutes forbid regular post route roads carrying mails other than in regular mail cars, except when all letters are enclosed in stamped envelopes.

TELLER TALKS.

Thinks the Democrats Will Nominate a Good Silver Man at Chicago Who Should Have the Active Support of All Free Coinage Men.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, July 3.—In view of the many conflicting statements put in circulation respecting Senator Teller's attitude and the intention of his friends who walked with him out of the St. Louis Convention a fortnight ago, Senator Dubois this afternoon gave out the following letter from his associate, the only one, he said, that had been received from Senator Teller since the adjournment of the Republican Convention:

MORRISON, ILL., July 3, 1896.

Hon. Fred Dubois, Springfield, Ill.—Dear Sir—I reached this place yesterday and will remain here until the last of the week, when I will leave for Denver.

I notice that the gold standard Democrats have declared their intention to control the Chicago Convention. I do not think they can do it. If our silver friends control the convention and give us a good silver man, as I think they will, I think he should have the active support of all who believe the money question is the great question before the American people. We must, for this campaign at least, overlook all minor differences and put the country on a sound financial system that recognizes that gold and silver are the money of the Constitution. I believe that this can be done, and to that end we must bend all our energies to a little more patriotism and a little less partisanship as all our country needs at this time. The friends of silver made no mistake at St. Louis and we must not make a mistake as to our future alliance with other silver advocates. The cause is of too much importance to admit of carping or criticism. We must all get together and act together until the battle is over. It will be a royal battle with justice on our side. We must win.

Let us hear from you soon.

Yours, truly,

[Signed] H. M. TELLER.

THE COTTON MILLS.

Manufacturers North and South Will Curtail Production by a Short-Time Movement.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

FALL RIVER, MASS, July 3.—The following official letter, regarding the closing of the cotton mills in New England, was given out this afternoon by Secretary Rounseville, of the Fall River Cotton Manufacturers' Association:

Boston, Mass., July 3, 1896.—The committee appointed on the 25th ult., to inquire whether the cotton manufacturers of New England would generally cooperate in a movement to curtail production during the most of July and August, would report that agreements to curtail have been drawn up and have been signed by the managers of over four million spindles in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut, besides which there are enough spindles now running short time in New England and the Middle States to bring the aggregate up to over five million spindles.

A telegram received this date from Charlotte, N. C., says that at a meeting of Southern manufacturers, held June 29th, resolutions were passed urging mill owners to reduce production fifty per cent. in the next two months and one hundred establishments have already acquiesced in this stoppage.

[Signed.] JONATHAN CHACE, Chm'n.
C. C. ROUNSEVILLE Secretary.
To WILLIAM C. LOVERING, President of the Arkwright Club.

DANIELSONVILLE, CONN., July 3.—The mills of the Quinebog Company and the Danielson Company, of this place; the Wauregan mills of Wauregan, and the Williamsville mills, at Killingly, will reduce working time from sixty hours to forty hours per week during July and August. This affects 20,000 employes.

MR. WM. P. ST. JOHN.

President of the Mercantile National Bank of New York Forced to Resign Because He Advocated Free Coinage of Silver.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, July 3.—The following statement was given out at the Mercantile National Bank, 191 Broadway, this afternoon. Mr. William P. St. John has resigned the presidency of the Mercantile National Bank. For several years Mr. St. John has outspokenly advocated the free coinage of silver. Recently, the feeling in banking circles against a bank president advocating free silver has been manifest. The matter was brought to an issue this morning at his board meeting by his reading a letter from one of his directors, of which the following is an extract:

"DEAR MR. ST. JOHN—I have just heard that you intend to take part in the silver convention at Chicago. You are under obligations not to do so, it is my belief. * * * I admit that the position you hold gives you power before a convention, but you ought not to go when you know your board is against your views, as well as all money centres. I am your friend."

Mr. St. John was recently requested by resolution at a mass meeting held in this city to attend the National Democratic Convention and urge the incorporation of certain preamble and demands into the platform of the National Democracy. The first of these demands is independent and unlimited coinage of silver at 16 to 1.

Mr. St. John resigned his office of president of the Mercantile National Bank because a majority of his directors thought his compliance with that request would be harmful to the bank. The board accepted his resignation with a unanimous expression of regret.

The Mercantile National Bank is at 191 Broadway, and is one of the best known banks in the city.

Mr. St. John has been especially noted as practically the only financier of prominence in the East who openly favored the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. He was the only free silver New York city bank president, and as such his sayings and writings have been quoted all over the West.

A few months ago a Denver newspaper suggested him as an acceptable free silver candidate for President of the United States.

BASE BALL.

Result of Games Played Yesterday at Various Places.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Birmingham—Birmingham, 8; Montgomery, 4.
Atlanta—Atlanta, 6; Mobile, 4.
Roanoke—Roanoke, 22; Petersburg, 4.
Brooklyn—Boston, 7; Brooklyn, 8.
Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 13; Washton, 5.
Cleveland—Cleveland, 14; St. Louis, 5.
Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 6; Cincinnati, 5.
New York—Baltimore, 6; New York, 6.

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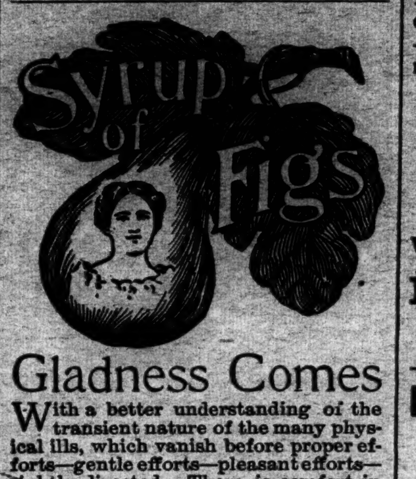
Jas. B. Gentry, who murdered Madge York at Philadelphia, has been sentenced to be hanged. His counsel appealed to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.



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